Monster Musume

Everyday Life with Monster Girls

12

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"Ice-Cold Suu" Side Story

SHINE

DRIP

DRIP

JEEZ! WHY DID THE AIR CONDITION-ER HAVE TO BREAK *TODAY* OF ALL DAYS?!

I'M ROAST-ING IN *HEE-ERE!!*

WHAA?!

They say they can't fix it 'til tomorrow.

WOULD YOU NOT **WELCOME** THIS HEAT?

BUT THOU ART COLD-BLOODED, ART THOU NOT?

NORMALLY, TIS THE **COLD** THAT VEXETH THEE.

OH, SURE! IT'S EASY FOR *YOU* TO SAY THAT-- YOU AND YOUR HIGH BODY TEM-PERATURE!

COME NOW. TIS NOT *THAT* HOT.

38°C (100.4°F) is **normal**?! The heck?!

NOPE!

PRESENTED BY OKAYADO

PRITHEE CALM THYSELF.

Ugh! Clueless mammals!

DO YOU HAVE ANY IDEA WHAT A PAIN IN THE BUTT THAT IS?!

FLAP

FLAP

SO IF THE OUTSIDE TEMPERA-TURE RISES, MY BODY TEMPERA-TURE RISES RIGHT ALONG WITH IT!

AS IF...! BEING COLD-BLOODED MEANS THAT YOUR BODY DOESN'T MAINTAIN A STEADY TEMPERA-TURE!

?!

UUNH... C'MON, SUU!

GLOMP

GAAH?!

HEY, YOU'RE WARM.

YOUR LUSCIOUS FROSTY BOD IS JUST THE THING TO COOL ME DOWN!!

...

OH, WHO CARES...?

DOTH THAT MEAN THAT SUU IS COLD-BLOODED, TOO...?

Hmm...

UGH. AND THIS WAS THE ONE TIME THAT I THOUGHT IT'D FEEL NICE TO GET SLIMED BY SUU...

SHOCK

SHOCK

SHOCK

Or, perchance, water temperature?

TIS ONLY LOGICAL. SUU'S BODY TEMPERATURE IS ROOM TEMPERATURE, AFTER ALL.

THOUGH, I CANNOT FAULT THEE. SHE DOTH LOOK QUITE CHILL TO THE TOUCH.

DRINK ?!

みっ squish ちぃ!

UNGHH... I CAN'T TAKE IT ANYMORE! THIS HEAT IS GONNA BE THE DEATH OF ME...

WILT THOU HOLD THY TONGUE? HONESTLY.

WHY NOT SIMPLY HAVE SOMETHING COLD TO...

KA-CHAK

Chilled ひんやり

JIGGLE

HUH? DID WHAT I SAID BEFORE BOTHER YOU?

WAIT, DOES THAT MEAN...?

SUU?! WH-WHAT ART THOU DOING IN THE REFRIGERATOR ...?!

SUU'S NOT WARM ANYMORE.

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OKAYADO

SUU, YOU'RE SOOOOO COLD!!

VERILY, VERILY. NO NEED TO RAISE A FUSS.

100%

SO COLD...

Shwp

?

SQUEEZE♡

AHHH~! YOU'RE SO COLD! FEELS SO NICE, SUU!

SQUEEZE♡

Refrigerated Perfection

うひゃり

I MIGHT JUST SURVIVE THIS DAY AFTER ALL!!

I HEARD THEE.

WHY'S SUU BEING SO COLD?!

WHAT THE HECK?!

FROZEN OUT

DON'T TOUCH ME.

"Ice-Cold Suu" Side Story END

vur vur vur

chg chg chg chg

Chapter 47

YOU READY, LADIES?

vrooooom

I'M ABOUT TO TAKE YOU ALL TO A SAFE LOCATION.

OKAY, THEN! INTO THE CAR!!

WHO'D HAVE THOUGHT THAT **ALL THREE** ROGUE LIMINALS WOULD ACTUALLY GO AFTER DARLING-KUN.

THAT CERTAINLY WAS QUITE THE ORDEAL YESTERDAY. I NEVER **DREAMED** THINGS WOULD GO QUITE SO VERY PEAR-SHAPED...

WHY WOULD THAT BROKER WANT TO HURT US?!

*AND WHO **IS** THIS VEXATIOUS BROKER?!*

IN A CALL...

B-BUT, MS. SMITH!!

ISN'T THIS ALL THE FAULT OF THAT **BROKER** WHO SMUGGLED THEM INTO THE COUNTRY?

ゴオオオ

WOW, FOR REAL...?

YEAH, THIS GUY'S GOOD.

groooooo

SORRY, LADIES. I DON'T HAVE ANY ADDITIONAL INTEL ON THIS BROKER FELLA.

WE TRIED LOOKING INTO THE CONTACT INFO THE OTHER TWO GIRLS HAD, BUT THAT WAS A DEAD END.

COULD IT BE SOME KIND OF VENDETTA ...?

BUT WHY WOULD SUCH A PRO...

TRY TO **OBSTRUCT** OUR SEARCH?

rattle

WHY ON EARTH WOULD YOU EVEN THINK THAT?!

ra-rattle

SERIOUSLY! WHAT THE HECK, MIIA?!

DON'T TELL ME DARLING GOT HIMSELF SOME SIDE NOOKIE AND NOW SHE'S OUT FOR REVENGE?!

rattle

WHAT?!

Inside the Delivery Truck.

raaaattle

HEY, MERO... WHAT'S WITH THAT LOOK ON YOUR FACE?

AH, YES, NOW THAT I COULD SEE HAPPEN-ING...

I JUST KINDA FIGURED SOMETHING, LIKE, MAYBE YOU WERE WALKING IN TOWN ONE DAY AND JUST HAPPENED TO BUMP INTO AN EVIL LADY SUPER-VILLAIN AND THEN YOU ACCIDENTALLY FELL ONTO HER BOOBS...

WELL, THIS IS YOU WE'RE TALKING ABOUT...

HOW LONG ARE WE TALKING...?

DON'T WORRY. EVERYTHING SHOULD BLOW OVER AFTER A FEW DAYS.

IS SHE TAKING US TO A SECRET LAIR?

BUT FEAR NOT, FOLKS. THE PLACE WE'RE HEADED TO IS SAFE AND SECURE.

THOUGH, I'M AFRAID YOU'LL ALL BE STAYING THERE FOR A WHILE.

WHOA! SMITH-SAN ACTUALLY SEEMS MOTIVATED FOR ONCE!

MAYBE I REALLY CAN COUNT ON HER THIS TIME...!!

LEAVE IT TO ME!

I'LL GET THIS WHOLE MESS CLEANED UP WHILE YOU'RE THERE!

P Entrance

HUH?

Screee

P EAST PARKIN

ALL RIGHT, EVERY-ONE!

WE'RE HERE~!

I WAS UNDER THE IMPRESSION THAT YOU'D BE TAKING US TO SOME REMOTE SPOT FAR FROM CIVILI-ZATION...

HAVE WE REACHED THE HIDE-AWAY?

ALREADY ?!

BUT WE WEREN'T DRIVING THAT LONG, WERE WE...?

C'mon. Pile Sout.

WE'RE TOTALLY STILL IN THE CITY.

WHAA?!

HIDE-AWAY? WHO SAID ANYTHING ABOUT *THAT*?

WH-WHAT WAS THAT JUST NOW?!

MAN, DOES THAT WOMAN HAVE AMAZING INTUITION.

whisper

Or, dare I say, spider-sense?

Zounds!

Huh?!

THEN WHAT WAS THE *POINT* OF BRINGING US HERE?!

YOU MAY NOTICE THAT RACHNERA-CHAN ISN'T WITH US.

WSH

WELL!

THEN IT'S SETTLED!!

DAN

YOU'LL ALL BE PARTICIPATING IN THE *INTER-SPECIES CULTURAL EXCHANGE EXPOSITION!!*

OR THE *"CULTURAL EXCHANGE EXPO"* FOR SHORT!!

WH-WHA?!

WHAT ON EARTH ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT...?!

OH, YOU'RE NOT SHY, ARE YOU?

IT'S REALLY FUN, YOU KNOW~!

THAT'S *NOT* THE PROBLEM HERE!!

IT'S JUST GOT TO BE!!

IT'S GOT TO BE AMAZING!

THIS IS WHY SHE CALLED UPON ME AS CHAMPION ...?

He he he he he he he he he he he he he he he

AFTER ALL, WE SPENT DAY AFTER DAY, NIGHT AFTER NIGHT, WORKING NONSTOP TO MAKE THIS EVENT HAPPEN.

BUT HERE, YOU'LL BE SURROUN-DED BY PEOPLE... AND MORE IMPOR-TANTLY--

YOU SEE, EVERY TIME YOU'VE BEEN ATTACKED RECENTLY, YOU'VE BEEN ALL ALONE.

Clop

OH, IT'S THE SAFEST POSSIBLE PLACE.

BUT IN WHAT WAY IS THIS SAFE?

ZOM-BINA!!

Yo!

WE'LL BE KEEPING AN EYE ON YA!

YEP, GOOD AS EVER. YOU WERE WATCHING ME, WEREN'T-CHA?

YOU SURVIVED THE ATTACK?!

NGH ...?!

I THINK YOU PICKED THE WRONG CHICK TO SNACK ON. SEE, I'M A ZOMBIE!

HOW D'YA LIKE THE TASTE OF MY PRE-SERVATIVE BLOOD?

WHU ?!

SHOVE

KA-SHICK

GWEH!

WHUP

SKIIIIP

GA!!

GULIH ...!

UNH...

KOFF!

IF YOU STOP **SPAZZING OUT**, I'LL EVEN TAKE YOU TO THE HOSPITAL.

MY BLOOD'S A FORMAL-DEHYDE-BASED PRESERVATIVE, SO IT'S PRETTY POTENT, HUH?

JUDGING BY THE NATURE OF HER ATTACK, I THINK WE CAN SAFELY ASSUME THE THIRD ROGUE LIMINAL IS A **VAMPIRE.**

DAMN ...!

FLAP

WELL... NORMALLY ZOMBIES ARE THE ONES DOING THE **BITING.**

I'M OKAY 'CUZ I'M ALREADY UNDEAD.

NORMALLY, YOU'D TURN INTO A VAMPIRE AFTER GETTING **BITTEN,** RIGHT?

IT SURE IS A GOOD THING I WAS THE ONE THAT GOT BITTEN.

LET'S JUST HOPE THIS DOESN'T TURN INTO A WEIRD **CROSSOVER** SITUATION...

NOT LIKE IT'D MAKE A DIFFER-ENCE!!

HEY, YA NEVER KNOW. MAYBE SHE *DID* INFECT ME.

You can stay at one of the hotels near the convention center!

ANYWAY! THE POINT IS, NO VAMPIRE IS GOING TO ATTACK YOU IN THE MIDDLE OF THE CROWDS HERE AT THE CULTURAL EXCHANGE EXPO!

Whaaaa~~~~~?!

SO HAVE A *BLAST,* KIDDO!!

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Entrance

Coat Check

TICKET BOOTH

WHOAA !!

WHA?!

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Yell Show Fast Hail

Let's Climb Rock Lizard

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Touch a Lamia!

Would you like to have your body wrapped up in a lamia's coil?

Experience the unique sensation of a lamia's long, cool, supple tail. Who knows, you might find yourself hooked!

Lamia'n Dance

Swimming with Mermaids

JOUSTING DUELS

ANYONE MIGHTY ENOUGH TO WITHSTAND A CHARGING CENTAUR, STEP FORTH! THOSE WHO CAN ENDURE THE LANCE WILL RECEIVE A PRIZE!!

I'VE NEVER SEEN THIS MANY LIMINALS IN ONE PLACE BEFORE.

MAN, OH MAN...

TEST FLIGH

※ For Chil

LET'S CHECK IT OUT!

LOOK OVER THERE, DARLING! THERE'S A LAMIA BOOTH!

IF THOU WISHEST TO GO SO BADLY, THEN GO BY THYSELF! I'LL STAND GUARD!

WHA ?!

HAST THOU FORGOTTEN, SERPENT? EVEN NOW, A DANGER-OUS ROGUE LIMINAL IS ON THE PROWL!

GWEH?!

HALT!!

Snatch

rmb - rmb

TIS A MERE TRIFLE! PROTECTING MY MASTER IS OF COURSE MY TOP PRIORITY!!

N-NON-SENSE!

rmb

rmb

rmb

rmb

rmb

YOU JUST WANT TO KEEP DARLING ALL TO YOURSELF!

I SEE WHAT'S GOING ON HERE!

rmb

rmb

rmb

HUH?

I KNOW THAT VOICE...

AKAMATA

STEP RIGHT UP, LADIES AND GENTLEMEN!! COME TEST YOUR *STRENGTH* !!

SLAP SLAP SLAP SLAP SLAP SLAP SLAP

flail flail flail flail flail flail flail flail

WELL, WHAD-DAYA KNOW?! FANCY MEETING YOU HERE!!

POLT-SAN!

SPORTS CLUB KOBOLD

I FIGURED I MIGHT BE ABLE TO HELP BOOST INTERSPECIES RELATIONS!

YEP!

YOU'RE PARTICI-PATING IN THIS EXPO, TOO, POLT-SAN?

NEWEST MODEL

KOBOLD-STYLE EXERCISE MACHINE

COME GIVE IT A TRY!!

OH, WE'VE GOT **PLENTY** OF THAT KINDA STUFF AT OUR OTHER BOOTH!!

BUT THIS EXPO'S ABOUT ***MORE*** THAN JUST EVERYDAY LIFE!!

BUT AREN'T YOU ACTUALLY BOOSTING... YOUR **GYM EQUIPMENT?**

THIS IS A CULTURAL EXCHANGE EXPO, AFTER ALL. DON'T YOU THINK IT WOULD BE BETTER TO SHOW STUFF LIKE KOBOLD CULTURE OR EVERYDAY LIFE?

Private Security Company TALIO

THIS EXPO ALSO GIVES ITS SPONSOR COMPANIES AN OPPORTUNITY TO DISPLAY GOODS AND SERVICES THAT CAN MAKE LIFE *EASIER* FOR US!!

SEE, WE MONSTER GIRLS HAVE A NUMBER OF ISSUES THAT MAKE IT PRETTY CHALLENGING TO LIVE FULL LIVES IN HUMAN SOCIETY!

SO, TO HELP *RESOLVE* THOSE ISSUES...!!

AHHH.

SO, THIS EXPO PROMOTES BOTH CULTURE *AND* INDUSTRY.

BUT I'M UNABLE TO RIDE THINGS OF THAT NATURE...

Physically, that is.

NOT A PROBLEM! THIS **SPECIAL SADDLE** WAS DESIGNED SPECIFICALLY FOR LAMIAS AND MERMAIDS!!

WHICH BRINGS US TO THIS **NEXT** ITEM! OUR LATEST MODEL OF **MECHANICAL BULL**, DESIGNED JUST FOR THIS EVENT!!

TA-DAA!

WE CALL IT **THE CENTAUR SPECIAL!!**

WANNA GIVE IT A WHIRL, MERO?!

LET'S GET THIS RODEO STARTED!!

START TO CLICK 十 十 10 MIN

BUT FIRST, LEMME SHOW YA HOW IT WORKS!!

We gotcha covered!

Alley-oop!

Creak

STRONG AND GENTLE AT THE SAME TIME, THIS MACHINE *FULLY REPLICATES* THE UNIQUE FEEL OF RIDING A CENTAUR!!

Creak

Creak

THE CENTAUR SPECIAL WAS MADE IN PARTNER-SHIP WITH THE CENTAUR RACE!!

Clamor

Clamor

Bounce

Bounce

Bounce

YOU'LL BURN THROUGH CALORIES, AS THE MOTION *WORKS YOU OVER*, LEAVING YOU SATISFIED AND RELAXED!!

JUST CHECK OUT THIS ACTION!!

WHOA!!

A GIRL CAN GET HOOKED ON THE PLEASURE THIS WORKOUT BRINGS...!

Haa!

Haa!

SEE...? JUST LOOK...!

BY GIVING MY BODY JUST THE RIGHT AMOUNT OF **STIMULATION,** I NATURALLY START TO SWEAT...!

Creak

Creak

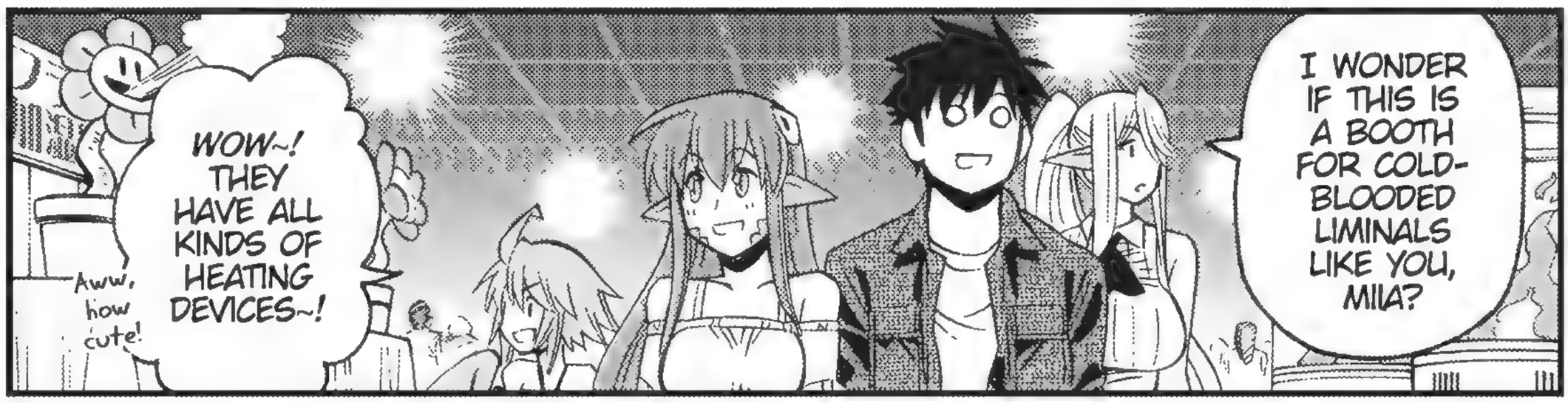
Creak

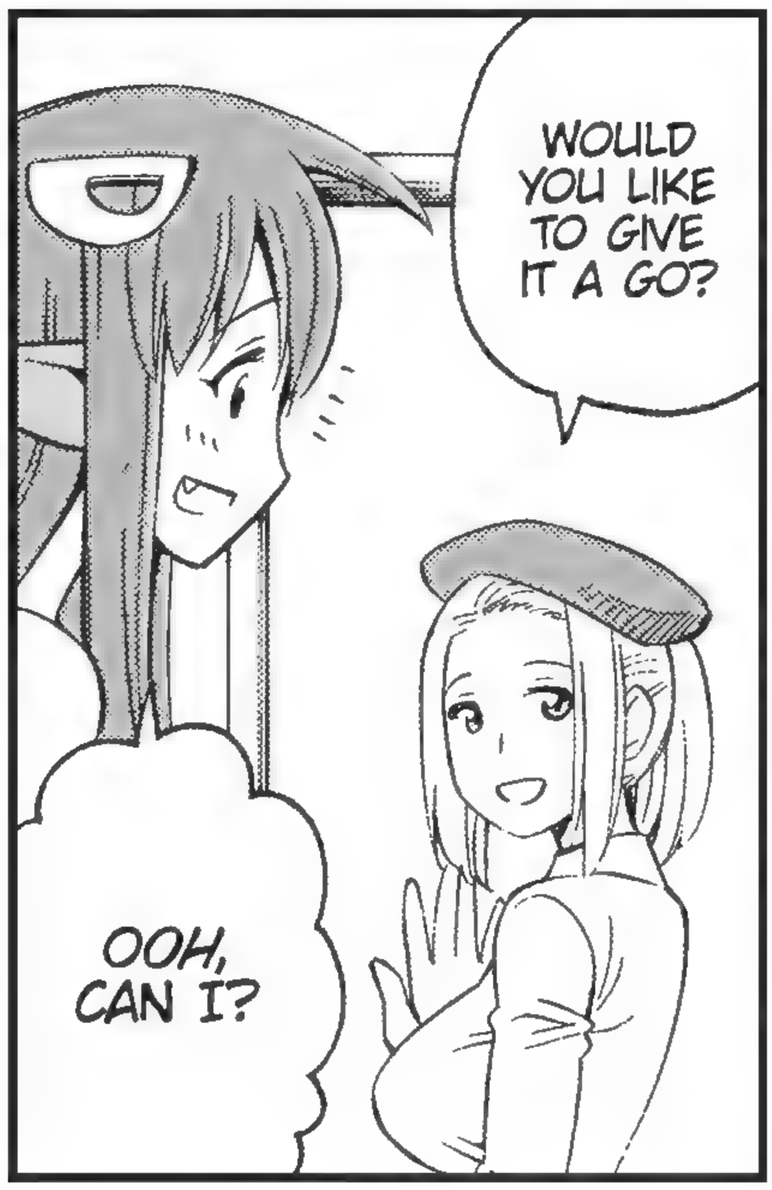
OH?! ALL RIGHT, THEN! I'LL BE WAITING FOR YA!!

UM... ER...

I THINK WE'D LIKE TO TAKE A LOOK AROUND, SO WE'LL CATCH YOU LATER...

HITO-BAN
ifrit
パイロ Pyrokinesis
AKUMA ARAI
Standard Floor Panel
Floor Heating Panel
1st Thermal Insulation Layer
2nd Thermal Insulation Layer
Basement
NEW PRODUCT
WEARABL
ELECTRIC
BLANKET


WOW~! THEY HAVE ALL KINDS OF HEATING DEVICES~!
Aww, how cute!
I WONDER IF THIS IS A BOOTH FOR COLD-BLOODED LIMINALS LIKE YOU, MIA?


WOULD YOU LIKE TO GIVE IT A GO?
OOH, CAN I?

HM? IS THIS A SHOW ROOM?
It's got glass walls.
THE SIGN SAYS YOU CAN TRY OUT THE LATEST HEATING DEVICES HERE.

I'VE BEEN WAITING FOR YOU, MY DEAREST MIIA!!

OH, AND I'M AFRAID THE ROOM'S IN USE NOW...

AH!

ALL RIGHT, LET'S GO IN TOGE-THER, DARLING! ♪

AWW... WHAT FUN IS *THAT...?*

I'M SO SORRY, BUT THIS ROOM IS FOR COLD-BLOODED LIMINALS ONLY...

AND STOOD OUTSIDE FOR **THREE HOURS** BEFORE THE HALL OPENED, AWAITING YOUR ARRIVAL!!

THAT'S WHY I APPLIED TO DEMON-STRATE THIS SHOW ROOM...

LONG HAVE I DREAMED OF LIVING WITH YOU IN A LOVELY HOUSE LIKE THIS!

LET'S ENJOY A LITTLE **TASTE** OF OUR BLISSFUL FUTURE TOGETHER!!

Grape Juice

NOW THEN, MIIA MY LOVE!!

BLOWN OFF 無視

MIIA-AAA-AA!!

DIDN'T YOU ALREADY MAKE SOMETHING LIKE THIS?

OOO! LOOK, DARLING! A LAMIA-SIZE LEG-WARMER~!

AND HERE WE'VE GOT **DRACO-SAN,** WHO'LL BE HELPING US DEMONSTRATE THE ROOM TODAY.

BLAST! IT'S STARTED!!

Miia was supposed to be in here with me!!

Crowd ﾜｲﾜｲ

What the ~~~?!

Oh wow.

NOW WE'LL BE DEMON-STRATING OUR SPECIAL ROOM FOR COLD-BLOODED LIMINALS.

Crowd ﾜｲﾜｲ

WALK AROUND THE ROOM IN A SWIMSUIT.

NOW, TO ILLUSTRATE ITS EFFEC-TIVENESS, WE'LL HAVE DRACO-SAN...

SWIM-SUIT?!

AT LEAST **LOOK** AT ME, **MIIAA-AAA!!**

Let's head over there next.

THIS SHOW ROOM WAS BUILT USING THE LATEST IN THERMAL TECH-NOLOGY.

THE ROOM IS SPECIALLY CONSTRUC-TED TO MAINTAIN A CONSTANT TEMPERATURE AFTER BEING WARMED BY THE FLOOR HEATING...

NGH!!

DAMMIT! I *KNEW* I SHOULD'VE READ THAT THING...!

It says it right there...

DRACO-SAN! PLEASE HURRY AND GET CHANGED! IT'S ALL IN YOUR CONTRACT!

Shuuh...

PLEASE GIVE DRACO A MOMENT TO CHANGE.

Aw, they blurred it.

HEY! I NEVER AGREED TO THIS!!

AHA!!

SWIMSUIT

WHERE IS THE DAMN SWIM-SUIT--?!

CRAP! THIS FEELS LIKE A BIT STRAIGHT OUT OF AN OLD-TIMEY SITCOM...!

PLEASE HURRY! THE **FROSTED GLASS** WILL RETURN TO NORMAL IN ANOTHER MINUTE!

Ka-clunk

THIS IS A MEN'S SWIM-SUIT!

GAHHH?!!

HUH? YOU'RE A GIRL?

Shuuu

MURR...

CHECK IT OUT, CENTO-REA.

IT'S A PHOTO OF ME.

Smug

IS THIS A PHOTO DISPLAY CORNER?

HUH...? HEY...

MERINO-SAN! CATHYL-SAN!

HEY! LONG TIME NO SEE.

THOUGH, WE SAW MIIA JUST THE OTHER DAY.

AND, UM, YOU'RE EXHIB-ITING...?

YOU DON'T SAY.

WE'RE RUNNING THIS EXHIBIT AS REPRESEN-TATIVES.

THIS SPACE FEATURES LIMINALS WHO HAVE JOBS IN HUMAN SOCIETY...

BA-BAM

MILKING DEMO: COW AND SHEEP

W-WELL, THAT'S ALL RIGHT, THEN...

Milking Machine

MILK

OH... YOU'RE USING A MACHINE ...?

FLINCH

NGH?!

Well, duh.

NO, WE'RE MILKING BY HAND.

WH-WHA?! YOU'RE GONNA DO THAT?! H-HERE?!

Everyone will see...!

TH-THIS MAY BE AN EXPO, BUT DON'T YOU THINK THAT'S A BIT TOO MUCH EXPOSURE ...?!

A Whole Herd

COW LINE

SHEEP LINE

3 HOUR WAIT

GAHH?! LOOK AT THE SIZE OF THAT LINE!!

A-ARE YOU SERIOUS?!

ARE YOU *REALLY* GOING THROUGH WITH THIS?!

WOULD OUR FIRST SET OF VOLUNTEERS COME TO THE FRONT?

STAMPEDE

STAMPEDE

WITHOUT FURTHER ADO...

RE-MEMBER, THAT AREA'S REALLY **DELICATE** ...

ROUGH IT UP AND I'LL KICK YOUR ASS!!

U-UMM...

PLEASE... BE GENTLE, OKAY?

MOO

BAA

I JUST SAID NOT TO ROUGH HER UP!!

They're real animals...

How did they get them all this way...?

HOW TO MILK

STEP 1
Squeeze the base of the teat between your extended thumb and first finger, so that the milk doesn t flow back up into the udder

STEP 2
Squeeze your fingers one at a time, to the pinky

STEP 3
Tug down to draw the milk out

Repeat steps 1-3. If you have trou
In steps 1-2, the milk can get cont
animal gets restless and steps in t
this happen you will need to discard

THAT'S RIGHT. PLEASE BE GENTLE WHEN YOU MILK HER.

LENDING A HAND
This new tech
3137 units
Military te
51 people
O
mor

MAYBE THIS IS THE STUFF POLT WAS TALKING ABOUT?

WHAT'S OVER HERE?

Omega Horseshoe

Omega Horseshoe

Omega Horseshoe

COULD IT BE...?! SHOES MADE FOR CENTAURS!!

TA-DAAAN!

OHO?!

Ugh! Zounds...

TIS A MITE VEXING TO WIPE MY FEET EACH TIME I ENTER A HOUSE...!

Wipe Wipe

NEIGH, WE NORMALLY ES-SHOE THE THINGS, HOWEVER...

HUH? CENTAURS WEAR SHOES?

ZOUNDS !!

They must be mine!

Beep

THESE NEW MODELS JUST SNAP ON AND OFF WITH ONE CLICK OF A REMOTE CONTROL BUTTON!!

Now then, should I have one foursome or two? Dare I try for three?

OOH! COME HAVE A LOOK AT THIS, DARLING!!

Fwish

OF COURSE, TIS MORE VEXING STILL TO PUT SHOES ON MYSELF... BUT I COULD NEVER HAVE MILORD LOWER HIMSELF TO PUT THEM ON ME.

OH, NO WOR-RIES!

THIS TICKLES, BUT IT ALSO FEELS KINDA NICE!

vreeee

vreeeee

AHA HA HA HA!

TAIL WASHER

Can be adjusted for lamias, mermaids, and lizards.

Special attachments allow you to use it for everything from cleansing to skin care.

WHAT DO YOU THINK, YOUR HIGH-NESS?

TIME FOR SOME RETAIL THERAPY!!

Urgh, this sucks!

I've got money from my shrine priestess job.

I COULD FINALLY BE FREE FROM THE HASSLE OF HAVING TO WIPE MY TAIL!

OOO, THIS IS **SWEET!**

OOO————!

YOU CAN USE IT BOTH *ABOVE AND* UNDER THE WATER!

THIS IS OUR LATEST MODEL **AMPHIBIOUS WHEELCHAIR!**

I REALLY APPRECIATE YOU LOOKING OUT FOR ME, THOUGH.

BUT I'M FINE WITH THE ONE I HAVE NOW.

CENTOREA'S RIGHT. YOU'RE **LOADED**, SO JUST GO FOR IT!

I DON'T KNOW ...

THOU MUST ACQUIRE IT, HIGH-NESS!

?

THE THING IS...

WELL...

HUH?! WHY THE HECK NOT?!

OF A CERTAINTY, THINE OLD CHAIR CANNOT **POSSIBLY** COMPARE TO THIS BEAUTY.

THEN I WON'T NEED *BELOVED* TO WHEEL ME ABOUT ANYMORE...

IF I GET THIS FANCY NEW WHEEL-CHAIR...

WELL...

I'll help you clean your tail. It's so long, it's a really tough job.

Let me help you with that stubborn dirt. It **was** raining yesterday, after all.

!!!

Pwah!

BUMP

Kya?!

Mua~

Stamina Meter

SHLOOOP

Ah ha ha ha ha!

TH-THE LADY DOTH SHOW SOME WISDOM... SOMETIMES TOO MUCH CONVENIENCE IS A BURDEN.

PLUS, THESE THINGS AREN'T CHEAP... MAYBE I'LL HOLD OFF FOR NOW.

Heh heh heh heh heh...

Heh heh heh heh heh...

Stamina Meter

S-
SORRY,
MISS...

~Notice~
Lighting is kept to a bare minimum in this area, so any liminals with poor night vision should be careful!

Designated Shaded Area for Nocturnal Liminals

PAPI?

?

WHERE ARE YOU, PAPI?

PAPI?

BUT IT WAS FOOLISH TO TRY THAT IN BROAD DAYLIGHT.

I'M SO TIRED...

I KNOW I SHOULD BE SAFE IN THIS ENORMOUS CROWD...

BUT IT SEEMS THAT I REALLY DO NEED THAT TO SURVIVE.

I HAD HOPED I'D BE ABLE TO FIND SOMETHING ELSE I COULD USE AS SUSTENANCE...

I NEED SUSTENANCE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE-- TO SATE MY HUNGER AND HEAL MY WOUNDS.

TO MAKE THINGS WORSE, I'M STILL IN PAIN FROM YESTERDAY...

MAYBE I'LL BE ABLE TO...FIND SOMETHING NICE...

chaka

chaka

I'LL REST FOR A BIT, THEN LOOK AROUND THE CONVENTION CENTER AGAIN...

I KNEW I SHOULDN'T HAVE TRIED TO BE AWAKE DURING THE MIDDLE OF THE DAY LIKE THIS.

Rustle

THE EXPO RUNS ON ALL NIGHT, SO I SHOULD'VE JUST WOKEN UP AT SUNDOWN...

I HOPE I WASN'T OUT TOO LONG. UGH... THIS IS NO TIME TO BE SLEEPING.

HUH...? DID I DOZE OFF? IN A PLACE LIKE THIS...?

DROOL

?…

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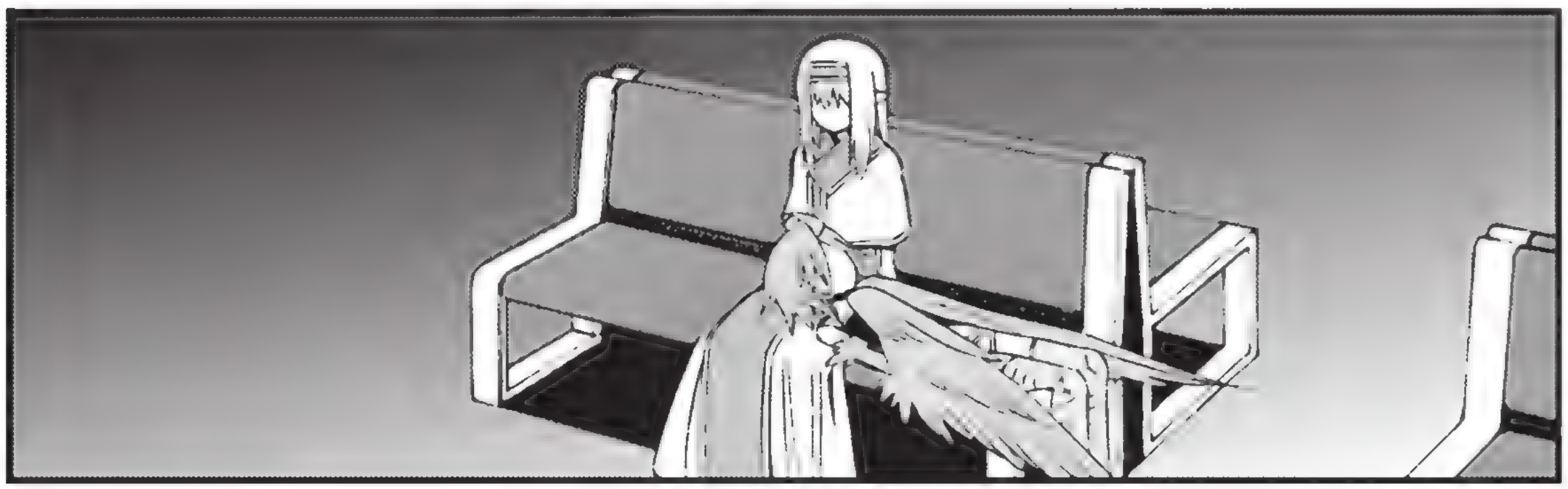
A-ARE YOU SERIOUS ?!
ARE YOU *REALLY* GOING THROUGH WITH THIS?!

Chapter 49

Residents of darkness
Nocti



DROOOL

WH-WHAT THE...?
WHO IS THIS GIRL...?
HUH...?

Slooowly

Poik

ruffle

ruffle

HEY, YOU... WAKE UP...

THAT'S WHAT I WANT TO ASK...

?

?

WHO THE HECK ARE YOU?

kyu-ri 胡瓜

IT'S... CURIE.

KYUURI? YOU'RE A CUCUM-BER*?

You got a weird name.

M-MY NAME'S CURIE.

PAPI'S PAPI THE HARPY!

WHO'RE YOU?

*Kyurī (キュリー) is a play on the Japanese word for Dracula "dorakyura," and is identical to how Marie Curie's name is written in Japanese. Kyūri (キューリ) means "cucumber."

WHAT'CHA DOING HERE, KYUURI?

SO I WAS JUST... RESTING HERE.

OH... I WAS FEELING A BIT TIRED...

...?

glance

glance

WHAT A COINCIDENCE! PAPI GOT TIRED, TOO! THAT'S WHY PAPI CAME HERE! IT SEEMED LIKE A GOOD PLACE FOR A NAP!

PAPI WAS ASLEEP JUST LIKE KYUURI!

I DIDN'T ACTUALLY COME HERE TO SLEEP...

※ Harpies have poor eyesight in the dark, so their range of vision is extremely limited.

THEN WHY DID YOU COME HERE...?

IT'S SO DARK IN HERE THAT PAPI CAN'T SEE TOO WELL.

BUT DON'T YOU BE COMING BACK HERE, OKAY?

UGH... FINE. DON'T WORRY. I'LL TAKE YOU TO WHERE THERE'S SOME LIGHT.

Glim

mer

roll

roll

roll

Clank

chak

chak

chak

ONE STEP

TWO STEPS

THREE STEPS

GRAB

C'MON... OUT WE GO.

HEY.

?

WHAAA ...?

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...?

WHO THE HECK ARE YOU?

Human-Liminal Homestay Pairing Party

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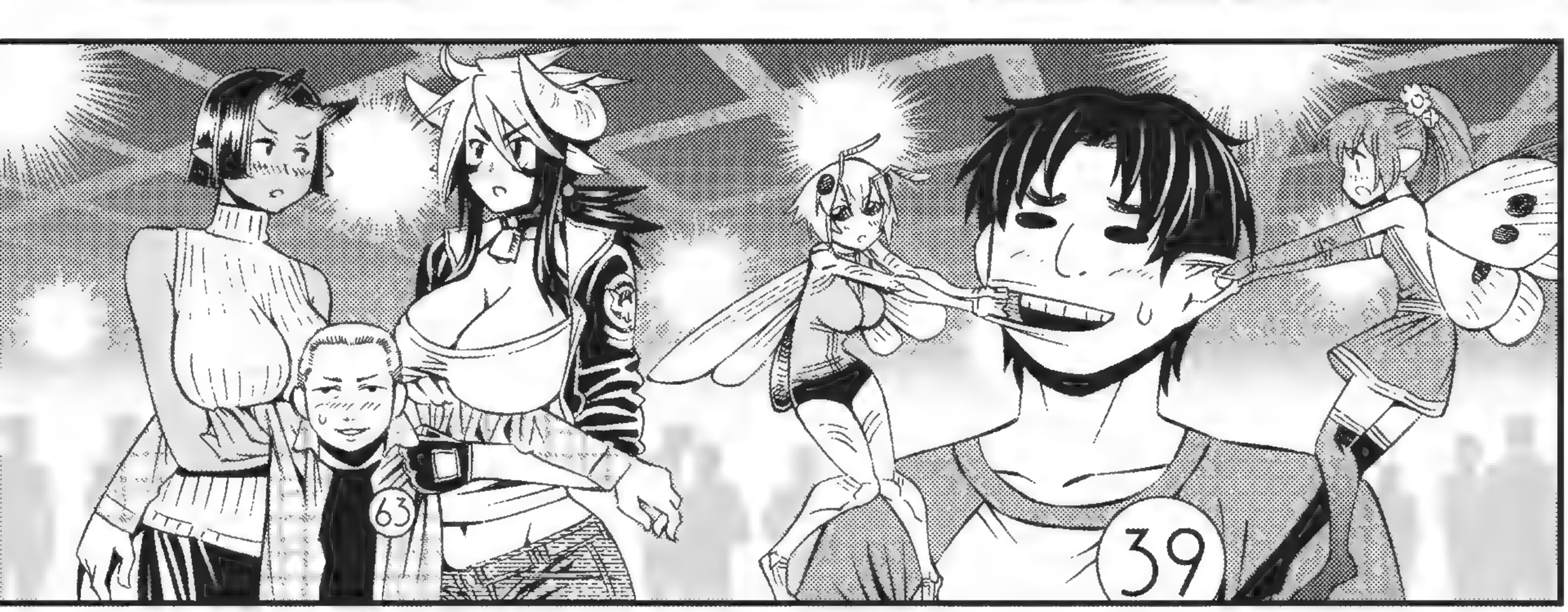
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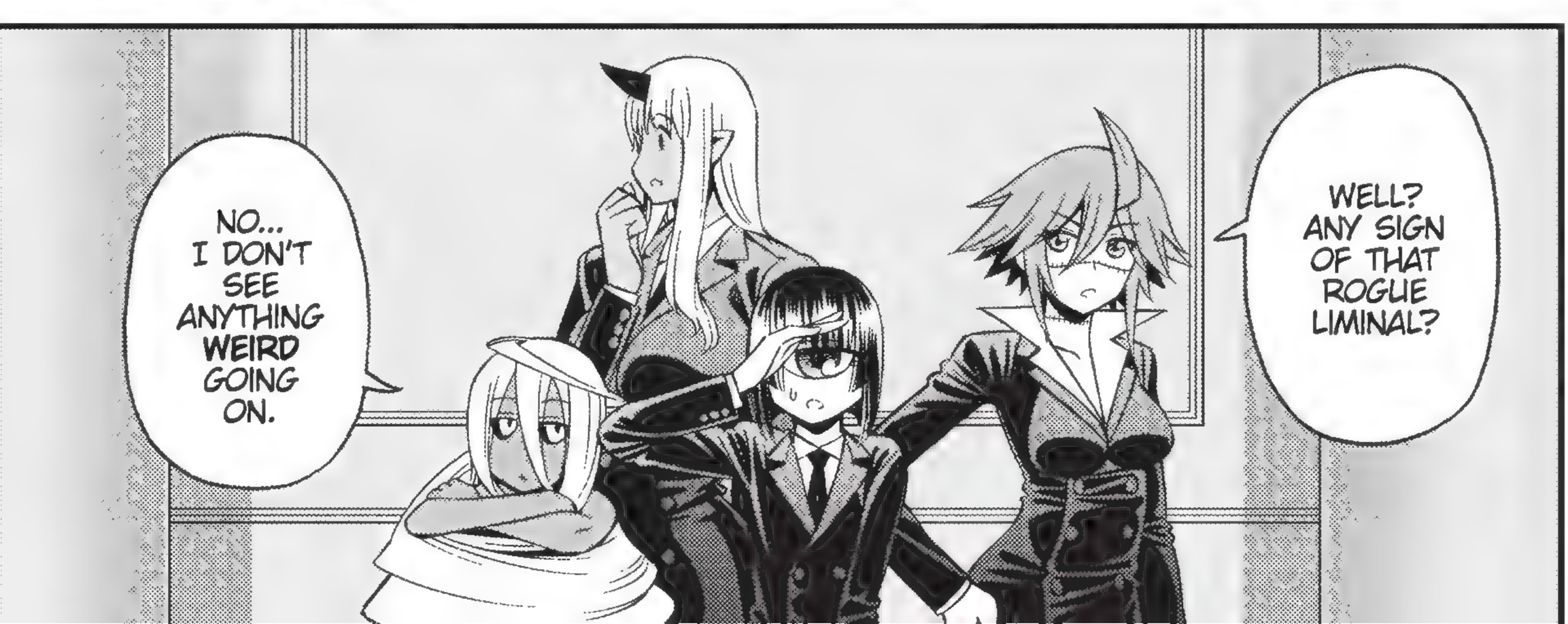
NO... I DON'T SEE ANYTHING WEIRD GOING ON.
WELL? ANY SIGN OF THAT ROGUE LIMINAL?

HM? OH, YOU HAVEN'T HEARD?

hide

hide

hide

hide

UM, EXCUSE ME. WHAT KIND OF PARTY IS THIS?

Human-Liminal Homestay Pairing Party

IT'S A PARTY WHERE LIMINALS WHO WANT TO STUDY ABROAD CAN CHAT WITH HUMANS WHO ARE INTERESTED IN BEING *HOST FAMILIES*, SO THEY CAN FIND *GOOD MATCHES* FOR THEIR HOMESTAY!!

THIS HERE IS A HUMAN-LIMINAL HOMESTAY *PAIRING PARTY!!*

IF YOU FIND A GOOD MATCH, YOU MEET BACK UP HERE ON THE FLOOR!!

Criteria
-animal ears liminal (cat/dog/rabbit)
-mermaid
-reptile liminal

THEN YOU GO INTO A PRIVATE ROOM AND **CHAT!**

FIRST YOU FILL OUT AN **APPLI-CATION** SAYING WHAT YOU'RE LOOKING FOR...

Are there any cute monster boys?!

S-SAY! CAN WE JOIN, TOO?!

Droves

Party Line Starts Here

OH, AND ALL THE LIMINALS ARE **SUPER HOT**, SO IT'S A VERY POPULAR ATTRACTION.

AWW, MAN~!

I'M AFRAID THAT TODAY'S PARTY IS EXCLUSIVELY FOR *FEMALE* LIMINALS~!

Come back tomorrow for the cute boys!

flirt

flirt

flirt

flirt

HOW DID I WIND UP IN **THIS** POSITION...?

UGH...

THE OTHERS ARE ALREADY LOOKING FOR HER, SO DON'T WORRY ABOUT IT!

OH, *RELAX!* PAPI GOES MISSING EVERY OTHER DAY!

...iminal Homestay Pairing Party

WHAT?! PAPI'S GONE *MISSING?!* WE'VE GOTTA GO LOOK FOR HER!

OH MY. THAT'S NOT WHAT I HAD IN MIND AT ALL.

UGH! I CAN'T BELIEVE YOU **DRAGGED** ME TO THIS MIXER!

ARE YOU SERIOUSLY PLANNING ON HOOK-ING ME UP WITH ***EVEN MORE*** MONSTER GIRLS?!

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WE'RE TRYING TO FIND HOST FAMILIES FOR GIRLS WITH **A CERTAIN CONDITION** THAT WE CAN'T ANNOUNCE TO THE PUBLIC.

YOU MAY BE UNAWARE OF THIS, DARLING-KUN, SINCE YOU ONLY JUST HEARD THE RULES OF THIS PAIRING PARTY...

TH-THAT CONDITION BEING...?

BUT THIS PARTY ACTUALLY HAS A **HIDDEN** AGENDA.

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THEY LIVE OFF HUMAN FLUIDS.

YOU *KNOW* I MEAN **BLOOD**, RIGHT?

AH! OF COURSE ...

WRITE "BLOOD-SUCKING OK" IN THE "ACCOMMO-DATIONS" SECTION.

Entry

Desired

Accomm

Blood sucki OK

Skritch skritch

IT'S OUR **STRATEGY** FOR DRAWING OUT THAT ROGUE VAMPIRE LIMINAL!

Here. Write it on your appli-cation.

SO, I WAS HOPING TO HAVE YOU HELP US OUT, DARLING-KUN...

OH, SHE WILL. I CAN GUARAN-TEE IT.

DO YOU REALLY THINK SHE'LL FALL FOR THIS?

SHE NEEDS **BLOOD** TO HEAL HERSELF FROM THAT.

SHE MUST'VE TAKEN SOME **DAMAGE** FROM INGESTING ZOMBINA'S PRESER-VATIVES.

THERE'S **NO WAY** SHE'D PASS UP AN OPPORTUNITY LIKE THIS.

BESIDES, SHE KNOWS THERE'S NO SURVEILLANCE CAMERAS IN THE PRIVATE ROOMS, AND THEY'RE SOUNDPROOF. SHE CAN DO ANYTHING SHE WANTS TO YOU WITHOUT GETTING CAUGHT.

.....

IF ANYTHING COMES UP, GIVE ME A *BUZZ!*

WELL, I'D BETTER KEEP MY DISTANCE SO SHE DOESN'T SUSPECT ANYTHING.

Follow the mole's example for total underground living!

UGH... WHERE DID YOU GO...?!

HEY... PAPI...?

PAPI ...?!

PAPI ?!

Ha! Ha! Ha! Ha! Ha! Ha! Ha! Ha! Ha! Ha! Ha! Ha! Ha! Ha!

poik poik poik poik poik poik poik poik poik poik poik poik poik poik

PAPI, LET'S GET OUT OF HERE, OKAY...?

YOU'RE NOT GONNA BE ABLE TO SEE A THING DOWN THERE...

WSH! WSH! WSH! WSH!

poik poik poik poik poik poik poik poik poik poik poik poik poik poik

WHADDAYA SAY, MA'AM? HOW'D YOU LIKE OUR MOLE-PERSON INDOOR UNDER-GROUND SET?

YOU CAN EXPERIENCE THE COMFORTS OF UNDER-GROUND LIVING ANYWHERE YOU GO.

ERR, SORRY... I'M NOT A MOLE.

HUH ...?

...

PAPI?

PAPI ...?

THE TECHNIQUE'S BEEN WITH OUR PEOPLE FOR GENERATIONS.

I KNOW, RIGHT~? IT'S A MOTHMAN INSECT-LURING LAMP!

OOO~! SO SHINY~!

...

ARE YOU KIDDING ME? I JUST TOLD YOU *NOT* TO TOUCH IT.

OWW!! ZAP

REALLY? TOUCH THE LAMP, YOU SAY?

BUT YOU'LL GET A NASTY ***SHOCK*** IF YOU TOUCH THE LAMP, SO BE CAREFUL.

I CAN'T TAKE ANY MORE OF THIS...

THAT'S IT... I GIVE UP...

GAH!!

KYUURI! WHERE ARE YOU GOING?!

THAT'S RIGHT! SHE'S THE *CUCUMBER-GIRL!!*

DID SHE SAY HER NAME WAS "KYUURI"?

Kyuuri? Like the cucumber?

Kyu-uri?

What a weird name.

Kyu-uri?

Kyu-uri? Really?

THAT'S RIGHT! HER NAME'S KYUURI!!

KYU-URI?

IS *THAT* THAT GIRL'S NAME?

chatter

!!!

Kyuu—ri

PAPI?

CLOAK

HUH?

New Product

Now on Sale

100%

Latest Style

.....

SWF!!

WOULD YOU CUT IT OUT...?!

Mummy's Used Coffins

PAPI ?!!!

kyuuu

ri

Get me out of heeere!

Saaave meee

Get me out of heeere!

Saaave meee!

WHICH COFFIN ARE YOU IN?!

?

PAPI ?!

PAPI ?!

Keep talk-ing!

HEY! DON'T FALL ASLEEP, PAPI!

ZZZZZZZZ

HI!

WIPED OUT

Freaky!

Oo! What're these?!

OWL VILLAGE

Amazing! Really! They're so cool! Are you listening, Kyuuri? Kyuuri! KYUURI!!

Aha ha ha! Kyuuri, take a look! These are amazing!!

I'M AT MY WITS' END.

SHEESH...

MAYBE I'LL JUST WALK AWAY...

I CAN'T TAKE ANY MORE OF THIS.

Wobble...

SOME-THING I HAVE TO DO...

I HAVE SOME-PLACE I NEED TO BE...

PAPI CAN SEE EVEN THOUGH IT'S DARK!!

WOW! THESE ARE GREAT!!

WEE-HEE!!

Affordable

High-performance

New Model

THESE ARE NIGHT VISION GOGGLES.

THEY ALLOW ALL HARPIES TO SEE AT NIGHT JUST AS WELL AS US OWL-HARPIES.

Click

VWIIIII

KYUURI!

.....!

AW-RIGHT!

WITH THESE, I CAN FINALLY...

.....!!

GLIMMER

WOULD YOU PLEASE JUST LEAVE ME ALONE...?!

MY FATHER GAVE ME THAT...

WHAT ARE YOU DOING WITH IT...?

WHA... THAT'S ...

MY LOCKET ...?

WHEN DID I DROP IT...?

BUT PAPI CAN'T SEE WELL IN THE DARK, SO PAPI WASN'T SURE.

SO PAPI WENT LOOKING FOR IT WITHOUT TELLING KYUURI.

WELL, SEE, PAPI HAD A FEELING THAT KYUURI HAD DROPPED SOMETHING EARLIER.

Ha! Ha! Ha! Ha! Ha!

SO, THIS WHOLE TIME...YOU WEREN'T JUST MESSING AROUND...

YOU WERE SEARCHING FOR MY LOCKET...?

BUT PAPI'S NOT TOO GOOD AT LOOKING FOR THINGS IN DARK PLACES.

SO IT TOOK A *REAL* LONG TIME.

WELL, YEAH! KYUURI IS PAPI'S **FRIEND,** AFTER ALL!

Dunkelheit

CUCUM-BER?

CURIE!

IT'S "*CURIE*," NOT KYUURI.

IF WE'RE FRIENDS, THEN YOU HAVE TO GET MY NAME RIGHT.

clamor

clamor

clamor

clamor

YOU'RE RIGHT... I WONDER WHAT'S HAPPEN-ING...?

THUM

THUM

THUM

THUM

THUM

THUM

THUM

WHAT'S GOING ON? EVERYONE'S SUDDENLY RUSHING AROUND LIKE BUGS.

YEEAH!!

ALL RIGHT, WE GOT **NIGHTFALL**, FOLKS! LET'S GET *PUMPED!!*

DaBoom

DaBoom

DaBoom

DaBoom

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WELL, *DUH!* THE SUN'S SETTING! IT'S ALMOST NIGHTTIME!

NIGHT IS PARTY-TIME FOR US **NOCTURNAL** MONSTER GIRLS, YA KNOW!!

tromp

COME ON, KYUUBI !!

tromp

tromp

tromp

tromp

WOO-HOO!! THAT SOUNDS FUN!!

DAT

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RIVAO

WAO

RIKA

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BOOM

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Desired Species:
No preference

Accommodations you would be willing to make.
Blood-sucking OK

BWAAAM

HAAH!

CHOMP

D'OWWW

UM... WHAT ARE YOU, A VAMPIRE?

NUH-UH. I'M A LEECH-GIRL.

AH! I'M SO SORRY!

THE FORM SAID YOU WERE OKAY WITH BLOOD-SUCKING, SO I FIGURED YOU WOULDN'T MIND IF I WENT AHEAD AND GRABBED A QUICK SIP!!

WH--

WHAT THE HELL ARE YOU *DOING*?!

slurp
slurp
sl-slurp
Hmm...
Hmm!
Mmm!
Mm...
SO...UH... IF YOU WOULDN'T MIND, COULD I HAVE ANOTHER TASTE?
S- SURE, I GUESS...
AWESOME! WELL THEN, BOTTOMS UP!
PLUS, IT'S NICE AND THICK WITHOUT BEING STICKY.
A GIRL COULD REALLY GET USED TO THIS.
Lap
Lap
Lap
Lap
Lap
WOW!
YUM!
YOUR BLOOD REALLY TASTES GREAT!
ALL RIGHT. SO *SHE'S* NOT THE VAMPIRE...
OOPS! SORRY ABOUT THAT!
HURRY UP AND LET ME HAVE MY TURN!
BAM
BAM
BAM
HEY! QUIT HOGGING THE ROOM!

OKAY. SHE'S NOT THE VAMPIRE, EITHER...

THERE AREN'T A LOT OF GUYS THAT'RE COOL WITH BLOOD SUCKING. SO I'M REALLY LUCKY TO HAVE MET YOU. ♥

HUH ?!

DIDN'T *WHAT* HURT ?!

DIDN'T THAT HURT?

UM... ARE YOU A VAMPIRE...? ♥

NOPE, I'M A MOSQUITO-GIRL. ♥ I LOOK FORWARD TO GETTING TO KNOW YOU. ♥

HI! ♥ IT'S A PLEASURE TO MEET YOU. ♥

WELL, YOU SEE... MY SALIVA HAS ANESTHETIC PROPERTIES.

SO I **LICK** YOU...

BUT I CAN BE *MUCH* MORE GENTLE. ♥

H-HOW EXACTLY DO *YOU* DO IT...?

I MEAN, THE OTHER BLOOD-SUCKERS ARE ALL SO **VIOLENT.**

THEY BITE YOU WITH THEIR TEETH TO DRINK BLOOD. IT'S BAR-BARIC!

I'M SORRY IF IT MAKES YOU ITCH. ♥

slather

slather

Lick

Lick

Lick

Lick

BUT ANYWAY, I LICK THE SPOT WHERE I'M GOING TO FEED. ♥

YOWW?!

SPLUK

THEN I DRINK THE BLOOD THROUGH MY *PRO-BOSCIS!* ♥

gleam

AND THEEEEN ...

knock

knock

knock

PARDON ME, BUT I'VE BEEN WAITING FOR QUITE A WHILE.

I'M STARTING TO FEEL KINDA **LIGHT-HEADED** HERE...

C'MON, PLEASE, JUST A LITTLE MORE... ♥

OH MY! ♥ THIS IS JUST TOO TASTY! YOU'VE GOT **GOURMET** BLOOD. ♥

Y-YOU PROBABLY THINK LAMPREYS ARE GROSS, HUH...? WE ARE PRETTY SLIMY...

HUH?! I DON'T THINK THAT AT ALL!

UMM... ARE YOU A LAMIA...?

I-I'M A MERMAID.

NOT THIS ONE, EITHER ...

YOU SEE, I'M A LAMPREY-MERMAID.

THIS WHOLE PLAN'LL BE A BUST IF I PASS OUT BEFORE THE VAMPIRE EVEN SHOWS UP. I'M GONNA HAVE TO START SAYING NO.

I THINK I COULD BE IN TROUBLE IF I LOSE ANY MORE.

THOUGH, THAT COULD JUST BE THE BLOOD-LOSS TALKING...

UM... I'M SORRY TO HAVE TO SAY THIS, BUT I REALLY CAN'T LOSE ANY MORE BLO...

WHA?

ぱくっ

URP

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SUCK
SUCK
SUCK
NOM
NOM
NOM
CHOMP
GWAAA?!!
Slur
Slur
Slur
Sluur
Sluuuuurp
COULD I PLEASE HAVE SOME MORE?
HEY, ARE YOU DONE?
BUT YOUR BLOOD REALLY IS DELECT-ABLE...
OH...I'M SO SORRY. ONCE I GOT A WHIFF OF THE BLOOD IN THIS ROOM, I JUST LOST ALL SELF-CONTROL.
.....!!!
Ahhh~!

IF YOU DON'T HURRY UP AND CHOOSE, WE'LL RUN OUT OF TIME AND THE PARTY'LL BE OVER!

AND IT'S ALREADY DREAD-FULLY LATE...

flirt

UMM!

flirt

flirt

WHA?!

flirt

SAY, HAVE YOU DECIDED WHICH OF US YOU'RE GONNA HOST?

flirt

ERR!

flirt

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I WOULD BE...YOU KNOW... ALL SLICK FOR YOU...

Lick

Lick

Lick

Lick

I'D PROMISE TO BE GENTLE.

Lick

I'D BE WILLING TO SLICK TO YOUR HEART'S CONTENT.

STOP!!

HEEEY!!

IT'S MELLOW AND FULL-BODIED. ♥

STOP SUCKING MY BLOOO

UNH ...

UU-GH...

BUT YOU'LL MAKE HIM ITCH, WON'T YOU?

NO, IT SHOULD BE ME SINCE I WON'T CAUSE HIM PAIN.

WELL THEN, IT SHOULD BE ME SINCE I GOT HERE FIRST.

DRAG

DRAG

DRAG

I-I'VE GOT TO GET AWAY...I'M A GONER IF I LOSE ANY MORE BLOOD!

AND... OH JEEZ, I'D BE UP THE CREEK IF I RAN INTO THAT VAMPIRE NOW...!

DRAG

DRAG

I SUPPOSE YOU'RE RIGHT... NEVER MIND. I DON'T HAVE ANY-THING GOING FOR ME ANYWAY...

WHA?! ITCHING IS WAY BETTER THAN PAIN!

OH, DON'T BE LIKE THAT! NOW I FEEL LIKE THE BAD GUY!!

CLOP

PI-P

PI-P

PI-P

I'VE GOT NO CHOICE... BETTER CALL SMITH-SAN...

FLAP

...?

Creak...

IS THAT SOME-THING FLYING?

DID YOU GUYS HEAR THAT?

FLAP

FLAP

FLAP

FLAP

OWAH!

WHAM

HEY... WHERE'D HE GO?

HELLO?

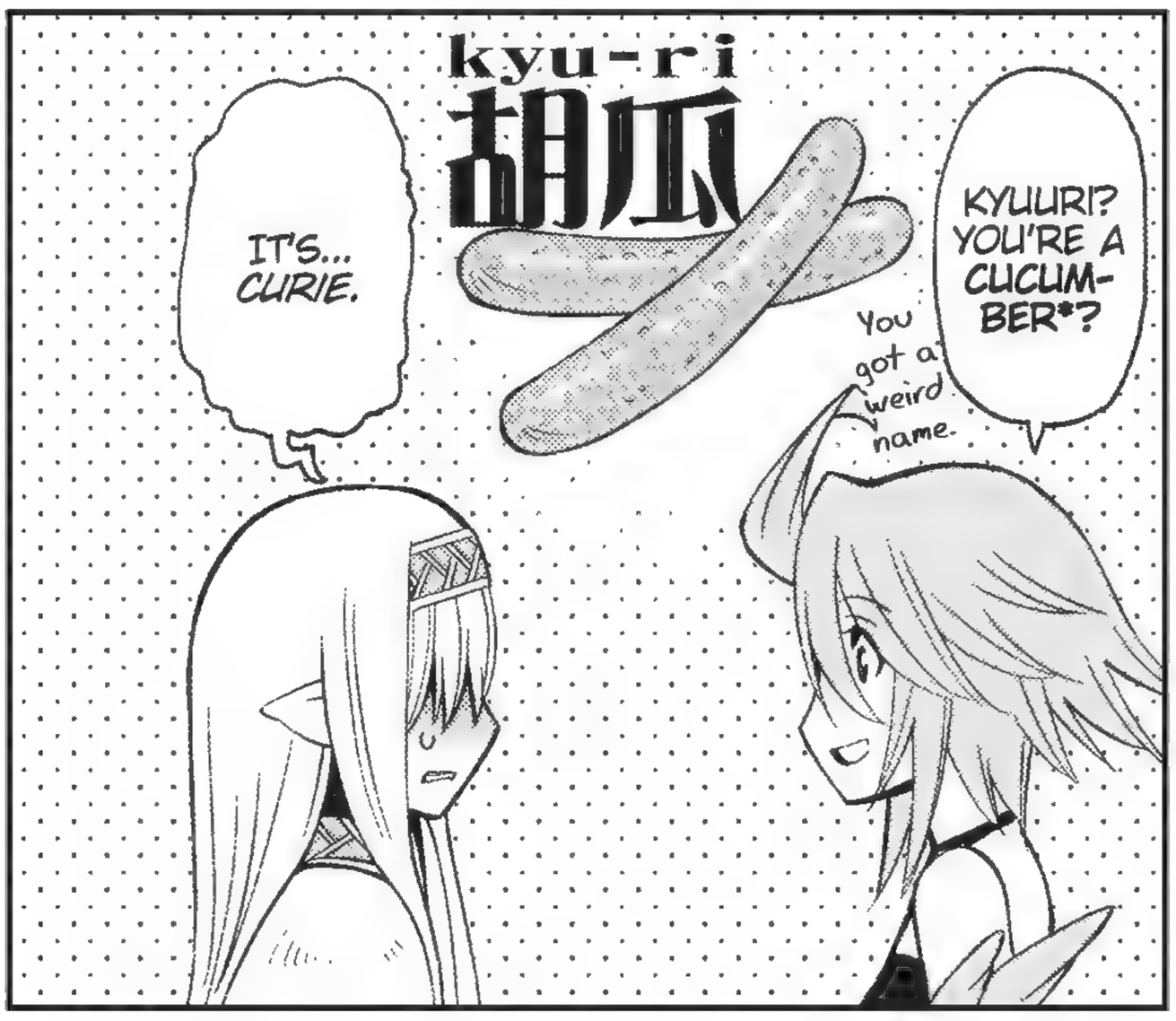
WHAT'S UP, DARLING-KUN?

Calling

EVERY-THING OKAY?

DARLING-KUN?!

Monster Musume
Everyday Life with Monster Girls


kyu-ri
胡瓜
IT'S... CURIE.
KYUURI? YOU'RE A CUCUM-BER*?
You got a weird name.

Chapter 50

WHAA?!

OKAYADO HOTE

DARL-ING'S ...

GONE MISS-ING?!

WHY... HOW?!

WHEN DID IT HAPPEN ?!

DIDN'T *ANY* OF YOU NOTICE THAT DARLING-KUN WAS **GONE** YESTERDAY?

PLEASE, EVERYONE JUST KEEP YOUR PANTS ON.

OKAY, SETTLE DOWN.

AS FOR PAPI, SHE RETURNED TO THE HOTEL ROOM BEFORE WE EVEN KNEW IT.

Snore——

WE GOT BACK TO THE HOTEL ROOM AND CRASHED RIGHT AWAY...

YESTERDAY WE WERE ALL **WORN OUT** FROM SEARCHING FOR PAPI...

COULD THIS BE THE HANDIWORK OF THAT ROGUE LIMINAL... THE VAMPIRE?

I'M AFRAID THAT'S A PRETTY STRONG POSSI-BILITY.

BUT DARL-ING ...!!

ALACK...!! I WAS SUPPOSED TO **PROTECT** HIM...!!

Poke Poke

SO I WASN'T PAYING CLOSE ENOUGH ATTENTION TO DARLING-KUN...

I WAS SURVEYING THE CONVENTION CENTER YESTERDAY, TRYING TO TRACK DOWN THE VAMPIRE...

I'M REALLY SORRY, LADIES...

whisper

IT'S ALL RIGHT.

TELLING THEM ABOUT THAT NOW WON'T SOLVE ANYTHING. WE NEED TO *AVOID* SOWING DISCORD OR CHAOS.

whisper

whisper

whisper

CAPTAIN... ARE YOU REALLY GOING TO HIDE THE FACT THAT YOU USED THE GUY AS **BAIT** FOR THAT ROGUE LIMINAL?

EVEN *I* FEEL LIKE THAT'S A BAD THING TO HIDE...

whisper whisper

DON'T TRY TO **SPIN** YOUR RESPONSIBILITY-EVADING RATIONALIZATION LIKE IT'S SOME KIND OF MOTIVATIONAL POSTER.

SHINE

I CAN APOLOGIZE AND MAKE UP FOR IT LATER.

RIGHT NOW, WE NEED TO FOCUS ON WHAT WE CAN ACCOMPLISH AT THE MOMENT!

NOOOOO!

CHOMP

Bwa ha ha ha!

Mwa ha ha ha!

IF HE GETS BITTEN BY A VAMPIRE, WON'T HE TURN *INTO* A VAMPIRE, JUST LIKE IN THE MOVIES...?!

BUT, MS. SMITH, WILL DARLING BE ALL RIGHT?!

Or would you rather this turn into some trashy soap where they yell stuff like, "Take responsibility, you skank!" or "Why, you sunglass-wearing boozehound!"

Dude, I'd pay good money to see that.

whisper

What's with the whisper-ing?

whisper

AS LONG AS HE'S NOT ALREADY ON **DEATH'S DOORSTEP** WHEN SHE BITES HIM, HIS IMMUNE SYSTEM WILL DISPOSE OF THE VIRUS RIGHT AWAY.

GYAA?!!

CHOMP

IT WORKS JUST LIKE ZOMBINA'S ZOMBIFYING VIRUS.

Wahoo!!

!!

It's zombie makin' time!!

Ah, so there was no need to fear a plague of zombies, after all...

White Blood Cell

Blehhhh

I DON'T THINK WE NEED TO WORRY ABOUT THAT.

NO MATTER HOW DANGEROUS THIS VAMPIRE MAY BE, INFECTION *ISN'T* ONE OF THE RISKS.

IF ANY-THING, IT'S THE **VAMPIRES** THAT ARE ON DEATH'S DOOR.

IN FACT, VAMPIRES ARE ACTUALLY DWINDLING IN NUMBERS DUE TO THE FACT THAT THEY HAVE A VERY LOW INFECTION RATE...

NOW, NOW, DON'T GET ALL IN A **LATHER.** I'VE ALREADY CHECKED THE EXPO'S SURVEILLANCE CAMERAS.

WE'VE GOT CRYSTAL-CLEAR FOOTAGE OF THE SUSPECT, SO HAVE A LOOK.

NONE-THELESS, IF THAT VILE CREATURE DRINKS MY MASTER'S BLOOD, IT *WILL* PUT HIM IN DANGER!!

HAVE WE NO CLUE AS TO THE WHERE-ABOUTS OF THIS *FIEND* WHO HATH SPIRITED HIM AWAY?!

>>PLAY

CLICK

VWEEEEEN

PAUSE!

RIGHT THERE!

THAT'S THE ONE!!

BUT WHAT WOULD DARLING BE DOING IN A PLACE LIKE THAT?

UHH...

MAYBE HE WAS LOOKING FOR PAPI-CHAN...?

DARLING-KUN AND THIS GIRL WENT INTO THE PRIVATE DISCUSSION ROOM, AND HE NEVER CAME OUT.

I THINK WE'VE FOUND OUR VAMPIRE.

FIRST WE NEED SOME PROOF THAT SHE'S EVEN A VAMPIRE.

TO BE HONEST, AT THIS POINT SHE'S STILL ONLY A SUSPECT...

SO WE DON'T ACTUALLY HAVE A SMOKING GUN.

OF COURSE, THE PRIVATE ROOMS DON'T HAVE SURVEILLANCE CAMERAS...

Sweepy...

WHAT ...?! WAIT, DOES THAT MEAN...

YOU SEE, BEFORE THIS GIRL CAME TO THE PRIVATE ROOM AREA, SHE WAS WALKING AROUND THE EXPO WITH ANOTHER MONSTER GIRL.

WELL, ACTUALLY ...

HOW ARE WE SUPPOSED TO PROVE *THAT*...?

NO CHANCE U ?

NO, THERE'S NO CHANCE OF THAT.

Yawn

...TIS A VAMPIRE CONSPI-RACY?!

PERCHANCE WE COULD LEARN SOMETHING IF WE *SPOKE* WITH THAT GIRL?!

GOOD THINK-ING.

What'cha watchin'~?

Hey!

HOW CAN YOU BE SO SURE?

I THINK SHE JUST HAPPENED TO RUN INTO THE OTHER GIRL AND THEY JUST HAPPENED TO WALK AROUND TOGETHER.

G'mor-nin!

HUH?

IT WAS *YOU*, PAPI ?!

WELL? HOW ABOUT IT, PAPI-CHAN?

WHY COULD YOU POSSIBLY ...?! WHY...?!

WHY WERE YOU WITH THAT *CREEP* WHO KIDNAPPED DARLING?!

WAH ?!

GRAB!!

PAPI!! WHAT'S THE MEANING OF THIS?!

10th

I'LL TAKE ANYTHING!! JUST TELL US *EVERYTHING* YOU KNOW ABOUT HER!!

NEVER MIND! NOT IMPOR-TANT NOW!

WHAT'S HER *NAME*?! WHAT'S SHE AFTER?! *WHERE* DID SHE TAKE DARLING?!

BE STILL, MIIA!!

RE-MEMBER FASTER!!

U-UMM...

P-PAPI DOESN'T ...

BUT...

I FEEL THINE ANGUISH, BUT ASSAULTING PAPI WILL *NOT* HELP!!

BEHOLD, THE BIRD HATH BEEN STRUCK **DUMB!!**

MIIA...

SHE'S OUR ONLY--

PAPI, DEAR...

ARE YOU BY ANY CHANCE TRYING TO HIDE SOME-THING?

YOU'RE VERY GOOD TO YOUR FRIENDS, PAPI.

COULD IT BE... THAT THIS GIRL IS A **FRIEND** OF YOURS?

ISN'T THAT RIGHT, PAPI?

YOU'RE PRETENDING NOT TO REMEMBER TO **PROTECT** YOUR FRIEND...

BEFORE YOUR FRIEND DOES SOMETHING SHE CANNOT UNDO...!

PLEASE TELL US ABOUT HER...!

BUT, PLEASE...

I DON'T BELIEVE IT... SHE REALLY **DOESN'T** REMEMBER ANYTHING ...?!

?

...?

!!

HEY, GUYS! IT LOOKS LIKE OUR SUSPECT'S BEEN SIGHTED IN THE CONVENTION CENTER!!

!

Rriing Riing

WELL, UH...

BUT WE STILL DON'T KNOW *IF* SHE'S A VAMPIRE, DO WE?

I'VE GOT MANAKO SURVEYING THE EXPO AND SHE SPOTTED THAT GIRL AGAIN TODAY!

?

THEN WE NEED TO GET THERE **PRONTO!!**

Exchange Expo Going on Now!? Cultural Exchange Expo Going on Now!? Cultural Exchange Expo Going on Now!? Cult

OH... PAPI-CHAN?

PA... PAPI-CHAN ...?

YOU WERE DANCING, AND I COULDN'T GET YOUR ATTENTION...

UM... SORRY FOR GOING POOF ON YOU YESTERDAY.

WHA...? NOT AGAIN...

?

WHO THE HECK ARE YOU?

Kyu-ri
CUCUMBER

"KYUURI"? YOU GOT A WEIRD NAME!

HRMM... I CAN'T TELL WHETHER YOU ACTUALLY **REMEMBER** OR NOT...

We hung out most of yesterday...

COME NOW... IT'S ME, CURIE...

ERR, I MEAN I'M *KYUURI*. DON'T YOU REMEMBER ME?

CAN'T WE GO BACK TO WHERE WE WENT YESTERDAY...?

HUH? I CAN'T REALLY HANDLE BRIGHT PLACES...

ALL RIGHT, KYUURI! LET'S GO OVER HERE TODAY!

Rustle Rustle

What is she babbling about?

EVERY-ONE?

BUT EVERYONE SAID TO GO HANG OUT OVER HERE!

I'M BEGINNING TO HAVE SOME **SERIOUS** RESERVATIONS ABOUT THIS PLAN...

CUCUM-BER!

DID SHE SAY HER NAME WAS CUCUMBER? THAT'S SO WEIRD.

Grrr...

PAPI, THOU ***FOOL!*** SHE'S GOING TO REVEAL OUR PLAN...!!

COMPOSITION OF A VAMPIRE'S BODY

FINGER BONES

THUMB

SECOND FINGER

WING MEMBRANE

FIFTH FINGER

FOURTH FINGER

OKAY, LISTEN UP!

I'M ABOUT TO BRIEF YOU ON VAMPIRE LIMINALS.

IT ALSO APPEARS THAT THEY CAN CONTROL BATS BY EMITTING AN ULTRASONIC WAVE.

THE STUFF ABOUT TURNING INTO MIST OR NOT HAVING A REFLECTION IS PURE HOLLYWOOD, THOUGH.

VAMPIRES DRINK BLOOD FOR SUSTENANCE. DRINKING BLOOD ALSO ALLOWS THEM TO FLY WITH THEIR BATLIKE WINGS, AND TO SLEEP IN COFFINS DURING THE DAYTIME.

VAMPIRES' DIGESTIVE ORGANS AREN'T FULLY DEVELOPED, SO THEY HAVE TO LIVE OFF FLUIDS THAT ARE EASILY ABSORBED.

AS FOR WHY THEY SLEEP IN COFFINS... I THINK THAT'S JUST A CUSTOM. MAYBE COFFINS ARE GOOD AT SHUTTING OUT LIGHT?

WHY DO THEY NEED TO DRINK BLOOD?

I ALSO DON'T REALLY GET *WHY* THEY SLEEP IN COFFINS.

Smith-san's Vampire Trivia Corner

Check out these cool facts!

THEY HAVE ALLERGIC REACTIONS TO SILVER AND GARLIC.

VAMPIRES HAVE VERY SENSITIVE SKIN. AS A RESULT, THEY DON'T HAVE MUCH RESISTANCE TO SUNLIGHT (OR MORE SPECIFICALLY, ULTRAVIOLET RADIATION).

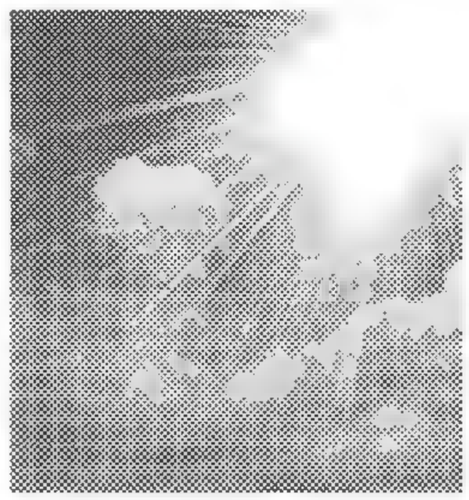
AS FOR CROSSES... WELL, I THINK IT MUST BE SOME KIND OF CULTURAL TABOO.

Though, they seem to like inverted crosses. Could be a goth thing.

By the way, I'm a Jōdo Shinshū Buddhist.

Hic! Feet for ening up almost any dish!

Silver a.k.a. argentum. I'd love to get some silver jewelry as a present.



Ultraviolet light is awful for your skin...

SOME OTHER THINGS THE MOVIES GOT RIGHT...

THEY CAN'T STAND SUNLIGHT, SILVER, GARLIC, OR CROSSES...

I GET THAT PAPI MAY BE THE ONLY MEANS WE HAVE OF CONTACTING THAT GIRL, BUT STILL...

TIS ALL WELL AND GOOD TO SET PAPI TO THE TASK THUSLY, BUT...

TA-DAAAAN!

NOW, BE A DEAR AND TAKE HER TO THE PLACE IN THE EXPO WITH ALL THE STUFF THAT VAMPIRES HATE!!

WELL, THERE YOU HAVE IT, PAPI-CHAN!

IN OTHER WORDS, IF SHE SHOWS SIGNS OF REJECTING ANY OF THESE ITEMS, THEN SHE'S *GUARANTEED* TO BE A VAMPIRE!

SHE'S TOTALLY GONNA ***BLOW*** OUR COVER!

SAY, KYUURI!

SMITH-LADY TOLD ME TO TAKE YOU TO A PLACE THAT PAMPERS... NO, PA... PAPAYAS? HATE.

I'M GLAD SHE DIDN'T CATCH ON, BUT THIS IS SERIOUSLY EMBARR-ASSING!!

WHA?! PAPI SOUNDED SO CUCKOO THAT THE VAMP IS JUST SMILING AND NODDING?!

Smile and Nod

UH HUH...

WHAT-EVER YOU SAY.

AND MIIA~! THERE'S SUU~! AND THE NEIGHBOR KIDS~!

Sneak

Sneak

HUH? WELL...

BY THE WAY. WHO DO YOU NORMALLY HANG OUT WITH, PAPI?

HUH? OH, NO.

BOSS IS THE BOSS.

Why would you think that?

...?

THE BOSS ...?

IS THIS BOSS GUY YOUR BOY-FRIEND ...?

BUT...

BOSS IS *REALLY* NICE AND PLAYS WITH ME EVEN WHEN HE'S BUSY!

AND THE BOSS~!

PAPI AND THE BOSS ARE *REALLY* GOOD FRIENDS!

D'YOU KNOW ANYTHING ABOUT THAT, KYUURI?

I HEARD THE BOSS DIDN'T COME HOME LAST NIGHT.

THE OTHERS SAID HE GOT **KIDNAPPED.**

SH-SHE'S BLOWN OUR COVER FOR SURE THIS TIME!!

YOU IDIOT!!

*WHY WOULD YOU JUST FLAT-OUT **ASK** THE SUSPECT?!*

KYUURI?

...?

IT COULDN'T BE...

drip...

NO...

drip...

WAS THAT MAN...

PAPI'S ...?

THIS IS WHERE THE OTHERS TOLD PAPI TO GO!!

AHA!! PAPI FOUND IT! PAPI FOUND IT!!

Are you a vampire?

Experience the things that vampires hate!!

Anti-Vampire Corner

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DUUUN

SILVER CROSS ACCESSORIES ON SALE 10-40% OFF

GARLICY GOOD ALL YOU CAN EAT!

GAR

All You Can Eat Garlic Food Buffet!!

Garlic Bread

Gyoza

Pasta Aglio, Olio e Peperoncino

BAM

SILVER CROSS

Ultraviolet Lamps

I NEED TO GET OUT OF HERE NOW...

The garlic...

The silver icons...

The light...

I'M SORRY... PAPI-CHAN...

I CAN'T STAND IT HERE ANY LONGER...

wobble

wobble

wobble

SOOOO TASTY?

!

WHY WOULD THEY *EVEN* HAVE THIS HERE?

It seems a little too convenient...

SHALL I CALL MADAM SMITH?

ZOUNDS, WE HAVE HER NOW, DO WE NOT?

EXPERIENCE THE THINGS VAMPIRES ENJOY

AND, TO BE FAIR, WE **DO** HAVE ANOTHER CORNER FOR STUFF THAT VAMPIRES LOVE OVER THERE.

HOW... NICE...

AND WE WANT TO **PROVE** THAT WE'RE NOT.

Why are you hiding?

OH, WE PUT THIS UP BECAUSE WE BLOOD-SUCKING LIMINALS ARE CONSTANTLY GETTING ASKED IF WE'RE VAMPIRES.

O-OH, OKAY...

HM?

VAMPIRE COFFIN

VAMPIRES SLEEP IN COFFINS. TRY IT OUT FOR YOURSELF.

DUN DUN

DUUN

GWO GWO GWO GWO GWO GWO GWO GWO GWO

WHY NOT? PAPI SLEPT LIKE A LOG IN THERE YESTERDAY!

I CAN'T...! REALLY ...!

C'MON~! GO ON IN, KYUURI~!

N-NO WAY! I CAN'T!!

HUH ...?

WELL, LET'S GO OVER HERE, THEN.

AWW ~!

.....?

I HATE DARK, CONFINED PLACES ...!!

I...!!

DRIP DRIP DRIP

VAMPIRE TEST FLIGHT CORNER

HALL

wahoo!

THEN WHAT IF PAPI TAKES YOU FLYING?

EEEE!

THIS IS SO MUCH WORSE !!

NO FRICKIN WAY!!

WE'RE UP WAY TOO HIGH!!

JUMP OFF THIS LEDGE WITH ONLY A *ROPE* HOLDING YOU?! *NOT* GONNA HAPPEN!!

HMM~! OKAY, THEN...

SOME-PLACE THAT'S NEITHER HIGH UP NOR ENCLOSED...

LET'S GO SOME-WHERE LESS DANGEROUS, PAPI...

BE GENTLE WHEN YOU PET US!

BATS A VAMPIRE'S COMPANION

AWWWWW!

WHY'RE THEY PUTTING ON A SHOW FOR US?

JUST BE YOURSELVES, GUYS...

NO WAY...

I JUST CAN'T DEAL WITH BATS...

I CAN'T ...

NOOOO!!

FLAPPA

FLAPPA

FLAPPA

FLAPPA

OH, OFF HE GOES.

I'M... REALLY CONFUSED.

UMM ...

COULD THIS MEAN ...?

NOOOOOOOOPE

SEE, KYUURI? THEY'RE SO CUTE!

PAPI'S SORRY.

SNIFF... YOU'RE SO MEAN, PAPI...

FORCING ME TO DO THINGS I HATE ALL DAY...

No pro, Kyuuri?

SNIFF... I'M NOT USED TO SHOUTING, SO MY THROAT'S DRY...

Koff!

Koff!

THE RECIPE WAS COMPILED BY MY ENTIRE SPECIES!

GLUG

GLUG

GLUG

TH-THANKS ...

IT'S A NEW KIND OF SPECIAL-MADE JUICE.

WELL THEN, HOW ABOUT SOME-THING TO DRINK?

WHAT KIND OF JUICE IS THIS?

Tomato?

WHAT *IS* THIS...? IT'S RED AND SO THICK...

REEKS OF IRON

IT'S ARTIFICIAL BLOOD!!

GWAAAA

TH-WUMP

IT'S MADE USING A SPECIAL TECHNIQUE THAT REPLICATES THE TASTE AND NUTRIENTS WITHOUT USING SO MUCH AS A SINGLE DROP OF REAL BLOOD--

KYUURI !!

WAAH ?!

A-ARE YOU ALL RIGHT ?!

IT'S THE THING I...HATE MOST IN THE WORLD...

I-I CAN'T...

...STAND BLOOD...

SHE SURE DOESN'T ***SEEM*** LIKE A VAMPIRE, LET ALONE A KID-NAPPER.

TO SWOON AT THE SIGHT OF BLOOD LIKE THAT...

WHY, HOW NOW? IS SHE ***NOT*** THE VAMPIRE?

HAS OUR TRAIL GONE LITTERLY COLD, THEN?

OH, RIGHT. VAMPIRES ONLY HAVE **WINGS**, DON'T THEY?

Kyuuri!!

I can't believe she passed out.

This is bad! Real bad!

BESIDES, SHE HAS **NORMAL HANDS**, SO SHE CANNOT BE A VAMPIRE.

You okay, Kyuuri?

Curie...

...Curie...

Help me carry her.

Let's take her to the back room so she can rest.

Open your eyes, Curie...

Blink...

PIIP

YOU TRULY DISGUST ME.

PA-THETIC...

MY DAUGHTER... I THOUGHT THAT WITH YOUR ***TALENTS*** YOU MIGHT BE ABLE TO STEM THE TIDE OF OUR DECLINE.

OUR RACE DWINDLES MORE AND MORE... AT THIS RATE, WE CAN BUT SIT BACK AND WAIT FOR EXTINCTION.

AND YOU CANNOT EVEN DRINK BLOOD.

BUT YOU CANNOT SLEEP IN A COFFIN.

SUCH A *DIS-GRACE.*

YOU CANNOT FLY.

I AM NOT LONG FOR THIS WORLD...

KOFF!

KOFF!

I HAD HOPED TO SEE OUR RACE PROLIFER-ATE AND SPREAD...

BUT IT APPEARS THAT DREAM WAS NOT MEANT TO BE.

I IMAGINE YOUR LATE **MOTHER** WOULD BE GREATLY PAINED TO SEE YOU BROUGHT THIS LOW.

That people's hearts are shaken with terror by our very ***name.***

We must ensure that people **fear** our race.

It's proof of how much we are feared.

Being designated a dangerous species plays right into our hands.

Terror. You must continue to breed **terror** with them.

Vladislaus Drakulya

The thread of fear that we've woven into others is our power.

Huff...

Huff...

Just as night must surely follow the setting sun...

Our time, too, is sure to come.

Wladislaus Drakulya

Huff!

Huff!

Pant!

You will be the one to usher in this **new era.**

In my stead, you, my dear...

#4 GLARE

#1 TWING

Pant!

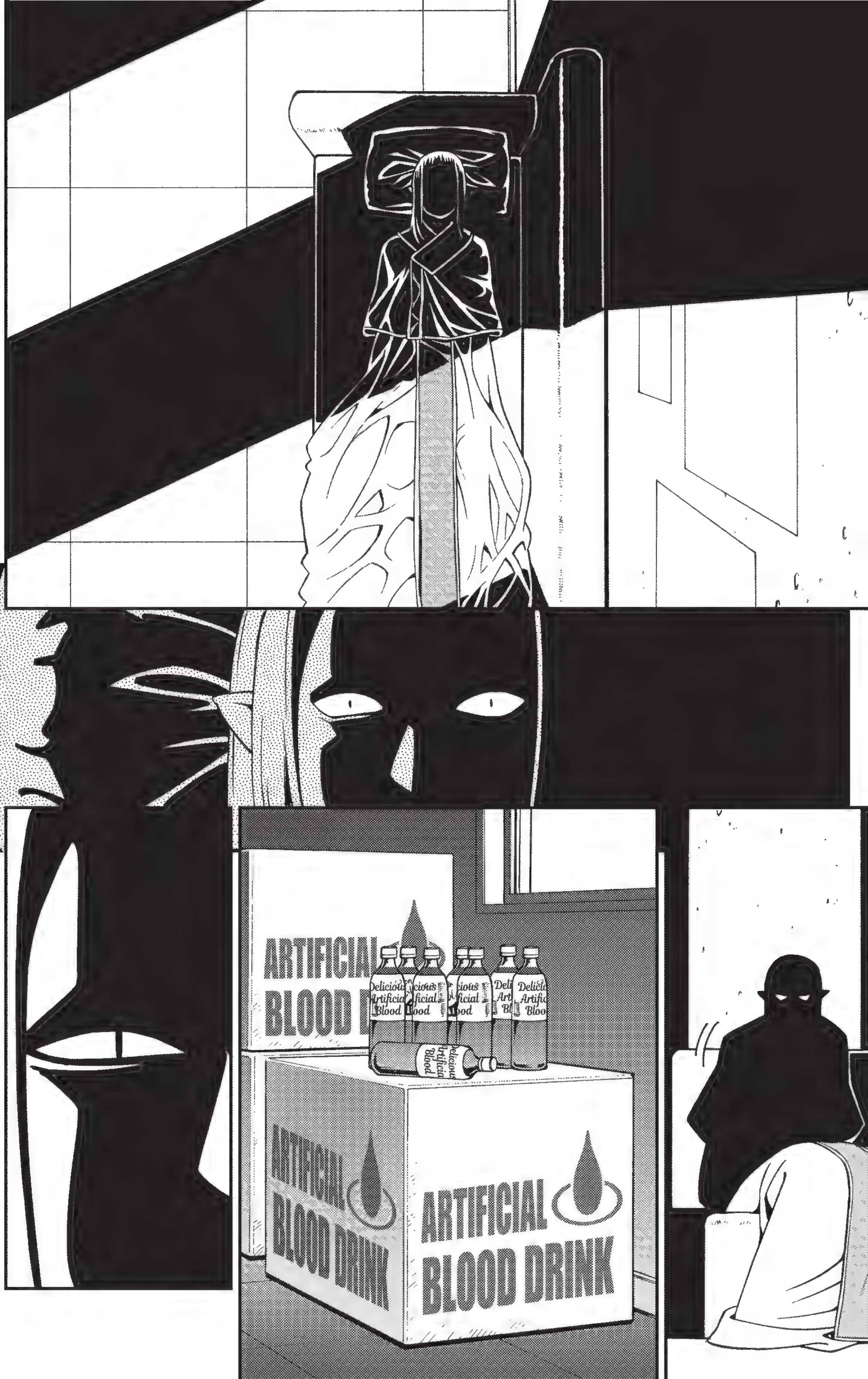
Huff!

Pant!

Huff!

Huff!

Shall build *the age of vampires!*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KYUU-RI...?

YOU A-OKAY?

ka-chak

Creeeeak

PAPI ...?

KLATTER

HUH?

I SHOULD BE THE ONE APOLO-GIZING.

SINCE PAPI MADE KYUURI DO, *URM*, SO MUCH STUFF KYUURI DIDN'T LIKE.

PAPI...

HEY... PAPI WANTED TO **APOLOGIZE** TO KYUURI...

AREN'T THESE...?

klooonk

Delicious Artificial Blood

...?

PAPI...

FAINT WHEN THEY SAID IT WAS BLOOD ...?

?

DID KYUURI DRINK THESE?

BUT, DIDN'T YOU...

...WHEN NIGHT FALLS...

...I CAN'T TELL WHO I *AM* ANY-MORE.

YOU SHOULD KNOW...

SOME-TIMES...

FLUMP

THAT "BOSS" YOU MENTIONED, PAPI...

creak

creak

creak

I THINK I MIGHT HAVE HARMED HIM.

criiick

crick...

SO...

FORGIVE ME, PAPI...

STAFF ONLY

Expo Personnel Only

Expo Personnel Only

WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT, SUU...?

SUU STILL HAS HER HAND.

WE'VE LOST OUR ONLY LEAD...

It's already dark.

SHEESH... SO WHERE *IS* THAT VAMPIRE, THEN?

I CAN'T TAKE GROSS STUFF LIKE THIS!!

DOES THIS VAMPIRE BITE OFF *HANDS*, TOO?!

A HAND! A HAND! A HAND! A *HAND* ?!!

A serial murderer with a hand fetish?!

HMM?

HUGGY

SUU FOUND IT ON THE GROUND.

BA-BAM

REALLY?

A toy!!

DON'T AFFRIGHT US LIKE THAT. TIS A MERE TOY.

P & P.

IT'S A PROSTHETIC THAT WINGED LIMINALS LIKE PAPI SOMETIMES USE.

They were selling them in the exhibit hall.

APPARENTLY ONCE YOU GET USED TO IT, IT WORKS SO WELL THAT YOU CAN PERFORM MANY EVERYDAY TASKS QUITE EASILY.

AYE. YOU MOVE IT BY PLACING YOUR FINGERS INSIDE...

OH! I'VE SEEN THAT BEFORE!

BRIIIISH

アアアアア

CRAP ...!!

IF A WINGED LIMINAL WORE THIS, TWOULD BE IMPOSSIBLE TO TELL THEY HAD WINGS.

Ha

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WOW~! THAT'S PRETTY NEAT~!

ha

ha

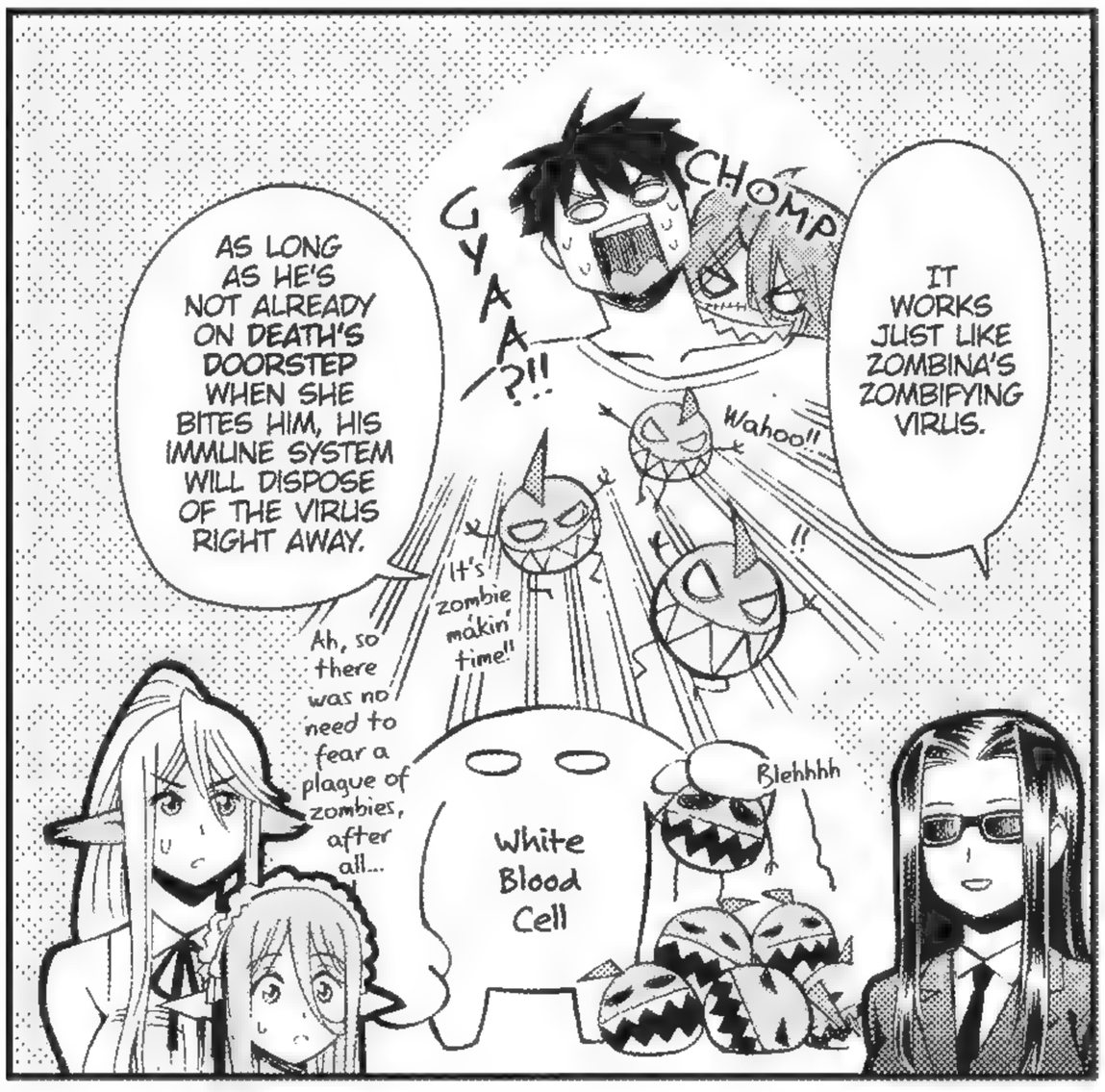
ha

ha

ha!

ha

Monster Musume
Everyday Life with Monster Girls


AS LONG AS HE'S NOT ALREADY ON DEATH'S DOORSTEP WHEN SHE BITES HIM, HIS IMMUNE SYSTEM WILL DISPOSE OF THE VIRUS RIGHT AWAY.
GYAAA?!!
CHOMP
IT WORKS JUST LIKE ZOMBINA'S ZOMBIFYING VIRUS.
Wahoo!!
!!
It's zombie makin' time!!
Ah, so there was no need to fear a plague of zombies, after all...
White Blood Cell
Blehhhh

Chapter 51

FLOOF

FLAP

KYUURI ...?

SHRAAAH!!

FLOOFF

WHA ?!

WHOOSH

KYUURI, WAIT!!

KER-BLAM

shrooo

CRASH

KLATTER

KLAAATTER

THE HELL ?!

WAH?!

WOO

IT'S TOO DARK... I CAN'T SEE WHERE I'M FLYING...

WLIG-GGH...

WHAT'RE YOU DOING DOWN THERE?

I KNEW IT! YOU'RE THE HARPY WHO STOPPED AT OUR BOOTH YESTER-DAY!

HUH?

WELL ...

UM-MM?

HEY, AREN'T YOU...?

Wow! These are great!! Papi can see even though it's dark!!

Whoa!

NO! NOT THOSE... THE ONES THAT LET YOU SEE BETTER!!

These?

GLASS-ES?

H-HEY... IT'S *THOSE THINGS* !!

THOSE... THOSE... GLASSES! LEND THEM TO PAPI!!

UNGH!! MURR!! PAPI MEANS ...!!

Yeah!

DON'T *ALL* GLASSES LET YOU SEE BETTER?

WHAT THE--?! *HEY!!*

SORRY! PAPI'S GOTTA BORROW *THESE* FOR A BIT!

FLOOF

NIGHT VISION GOGGLES FOR HARPIES

!!

FLA-TUP

KYUURI... PAPI COULDA SWORN KYUURI FLEW IN HERE...?

HRMM ...

WHERE *ARE* YOU?!

KYUURI !!

skritch

NNH...

UNH...

Paant

Paant

PAPI...

PA...

KYUURI! TALK TO ME!!

IS THE BOSS HERE, TOO?!

FLAFF

STOP HIDING AND COME ON OUT!!

PAPI KNOWS YOU'RE THERE, KYUURI !!

PLEASE! PAPI'S BEGGING YOU! ***COME OUT, KYUURI!!***

PAPI AND KYUURI ARE *FRIENDS*, AREN'T WE?!

TH-PLAP

……?

KYUURI ...?

PAPI ...

WHY DID YOU FOLLOW ME...?

STAY BACK!

KYUURI --!

PAPI...

...?!

THERE'S ...

A SIDE OF ME THAT... YOU *HAVEN'T* SEEN.

THAT'S WHY YOU CAN SAY WE'RE FRIENDS.

YOU'VE ONLY SEEN WHAT I'M LIKE ON THE SURFACE...

...THAT CRAVES BLOOD.

THE VAMPIRES.

THE REAL ME...

BELONGS TO A BARBA-ROUS RACE...

I'VE DONE SOME-THING IRRE-VOCABLE TO THAT MAN...

TO THE ONE...

WHO'S SO IMPOR-TANT TO YOU, PAPI.

BE-SIDES ...

AT THIS POINT ....

IT'S TOO LATE FOR ME TO GO BACK.

SO... I WANT YOU TO STAY AWAY FROM ME...

DON'T ... CALL ME YOUR FRIEND.

PAPI HAS ALWAYS ...

BEEN AWFUL AT REMEMBERING PEOPLE'S NAMES.

PAPI ONCE CALLED MIIA "MISO."

AND CENTOREA "SENTINAL."

HECK, PAPI ALWAYS CALLS MERO "MERLOT."

PAPI'S ALSO BAD AT REMEMBERING WHERE STREETS ARE.

Huh...?

Map

Papi?!

Where did you go?!

AND SO THE BOSS ALWAYS HAS TO COME FIND PAPI.

PAPI'S REALLY BAD AT STUDYING, TOO!

Snore

Don't you dare fall asleep, bird-brain!!

PAPI CAN'T MAKE ANY OF IT STICK!

THAT'S WHY MIIA ALWAYS GETS MAD. IT'S *ROUGH.*

THAT'S WHY PEOPLE ALWAYS SAY...

THAT PAPI'S JUST A BIRD-BRAIN.

EVEN PAPI THINKS SO HERSELF...

ERR...

UMM... SO...

HUH?

AHA HA! PAPI CAN'T EVEN REMEMBER WHAT SHE JUST FINISHED SAYING...

BUT...

Chaka

Chaka

...WON'T FORGET THE **IMPORTANT** STUFF.

Chak...

EVEN A BIRDBRAIN LIKE PAPI...

CURIE AND PAPI BEING FRIENDS...

...IS IMPORTANT TO PAPI. SO PAPI WON'T *EVER* FORGET THAT.

PAPI WILL KEEP CALLING CURIE HER FRIEND.

AFTER ALL...

EVEN IF CURIE DOESN'T WANT PAPI TO DO IT...

SNIFF ...

CURIE IS A DEAR FRIEND TO PAPI.

EHE HE!

SEE, IT HAPPENED AGAIN.

PAPI ...!

SHEESH ...

YOU REALLY *ARE* A BIRDBRAIN, PAPI...

HUH? PAPI'S **ALWAYS** SAID YOUR NAME RIGHT.

YOU'RE FINALLY SAYING MY NAME RIGHT...

BWO

OOO

BA-DUMP

OH NO...

NOT NOW ...!

THROB

THROB

THROB

THROB

THROB

URNH ...

AH...!

?

WHAT'S THE MATTER, CURIE?

.....

HUH...? WHAT...?

GRAB!

CLUTCH

WAH?!

FLINCH

PWEE?!

LICK

LICK

LICK

shudder

C-CLI...!♡

CUT IT OUT, CURIE...!

lick

lick

lick

lick

shudder

shudder

EEE!♡

AH!♡

MUNHHH!♡

QUIVER

UNH!♡

UU-NH...♡

QUIVER

QUIVER

SLUMP

Puff

Huff

TWITCH

CURIE
...

WHY ARE YOU DOING THIS...?

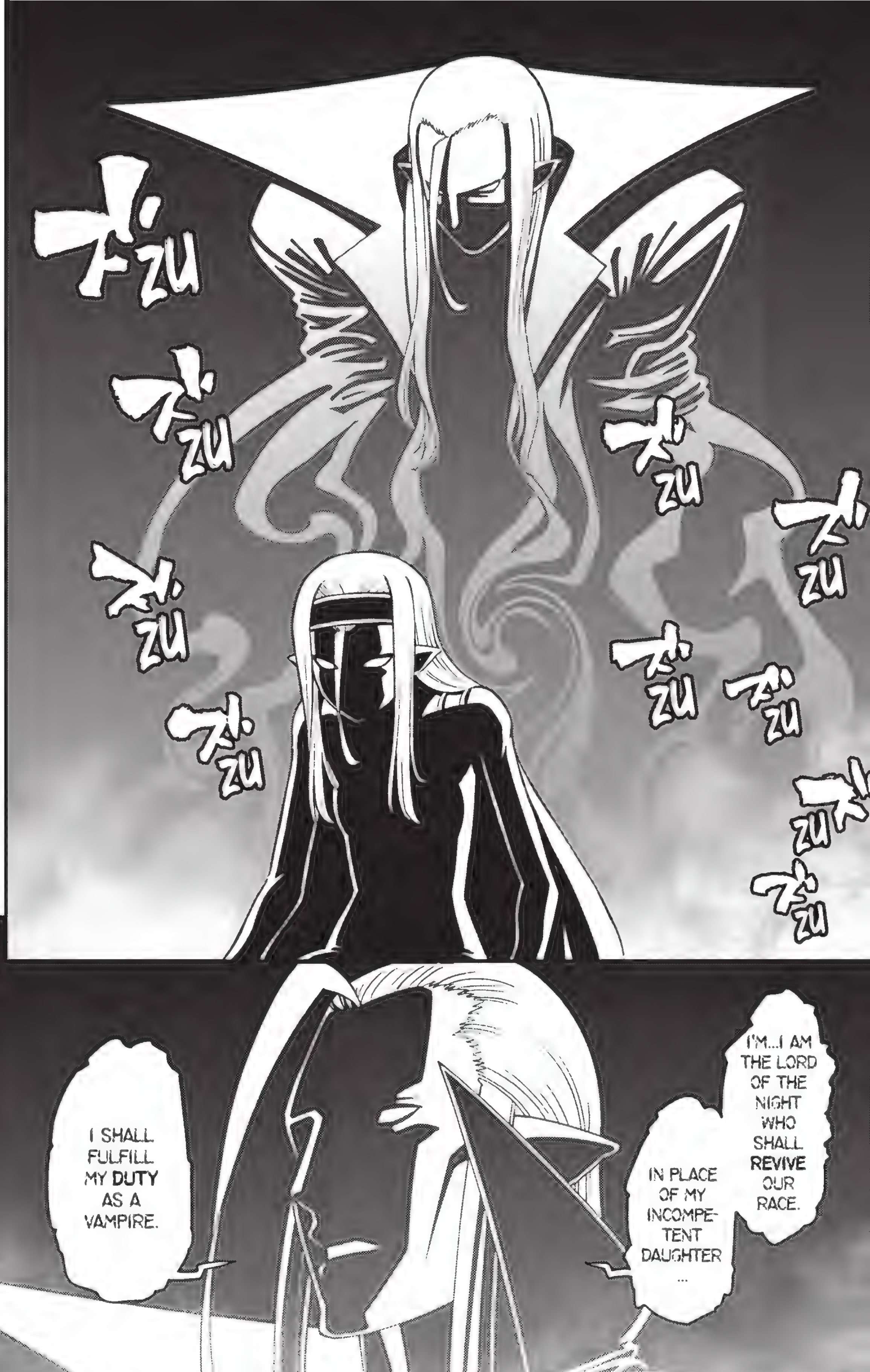
WHAT'S WRONG, CURIE...?

CURIE'S **SLEEPING** RIGHT NOW...

ZU ZU ZU ZU ZU ZU

BWO OOO

HUH ...?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I SHALL FULFILL MY DUTY AS A VAMPIRE.
I'M...I AM THE LORD OF THE NIGHT WHO SHALL REVIVE OUR RACE.
IN PLACE OF MY INCOMPE-TENT DAUGHTER ...

……?!

I HAVE NO NEED FOR A FRAGILE SPECIES THAT POSSESSES NEITHER FANGS NOR WINGS.

BUT I SHALL NOT TURN **HUMANS** INTO VAMPIRES...

HUMAN BLOOD EXISTS SIMPLY TO BE SUSTENANCE FOR US VAMPIRES.

WERE-BEASTS

LAMIAS

DEVILS

I NEED **POWERFUL BEINGS,** WORTHY OF BECOMING VAMPIRES...

HARPIES!

AND...

YOU SHALL BE THE FOUNDATION UPON WHICH THE VAMPIRE RACE SHALL *ARISE...!*

CHOMP

CHOMP

……?

?!!

……!!

SWIIRL

HMM ...?

BUT THAT'S THE LAST OF YOUR WILLFUL-NESS I'LL ENDURE...

CURIE... YOU UTTERLY **DISGUST** ME...

YOU DIS-APPOINT YOUR FATHER, WRETCHED CHILD.

CURIE ...!

DULLA-HAN, THE GRIM REAPER ?!

DUN DUUN

WHAT ARE YOU DOING HERE ...?!

THOSE WHO SHOULD BE DEAD...

WILL NAE BE PERMITTED TAE DO SO.

THE DEAD MUST NAE TORMENT THE LIVIN'.

WAIT ...!!

W...

RETURN WHENCE YE CAME.

CRUNCH

Kak Kak

Ka ra ra ra ra

ba-clink

HM? DID I JUST STEP ON SOME-THING...?

GUARD

WH-WHAT ON EARTH JUST HAPPENED?

I GET THE IMPRESSION THAT WE HAVE WITNESSED SOMETHING... UNSPEAK-ABLE.

shiver shiver

I DIDN'T SEE ANY GHOSTS! NUH-UH!

I SAW NOTHING! NOPE! NADA!

shiver shiver

WHAT ART THOU DOING, MIIA?

EH?

.....?

WELL, SHE *DOTH* APPEAR IN THE MOST UNEXPECT-ED OF PLACES...

VER-ILY?

I CAN'T HELP FEELING AS THOUGH **LALA** WERE HERE.

CURIE, YOU A-OKAY?

Huff

Huff

AND... I KEPT LIVING THAT WAY EVEN AFTER HE DIED...

BUT...

I LIVED EXACTLY THE WAY MY FATHER INSTRUCTED ME TO.

PAPI... ALL THIS TIME... I...

I'M A-OKAY, PAPI...

THANK YOU.

IT'S ALL RIGHT NOW.

I SEE...

DOTH THIS MEAN WE HAVE NOTHING LEFT TO FEAR...?

SO, THE EVIL DEEDS OF THE PREVIOUS WEEK WERE THE WORK OF THAT GHOST, EH?

AFTER WHAT WE WITNESSED, YOU CANNOT POSSIBLY BE BLAMED FOR THESE ACTIONS.

O-OH, YOU NEED NOT FRET.

I-I'M SO SORRY. COULD IT BE THAT WHILE I WAS UNCON-SCIOUS...

I DID SOME-THING... BAD...?

I DRANK THE BLOOD...

OF PAPI'S "BOSS"...

AND NOW... HE IS LOST...

ACTUALLY... IT WAS FOOLISH OF ME TO EVEN ASK.

YOU SEE...TO TELL THE TRUTH...

CLOP

WHAT ARE YOU GUYS DOING ALL THE WAY OUT HERE?

HUH?

HUH? OH, I'M FINE... WHY?

?

ART THOU... WELL?

D-DAR-LING?

OH, RIGHT... I PUT IT ON SILENT WHILE WE WERE TAILING THE SUSPECT...

AND WHEN I TRIED CALLING FROM HOME, NO ONE ANSWERED!

W-WELL, I LOST MY PHONE...

HEY! IF YOU'RE FINE, WHY DIDN'T YOU TRY TO *CONTACT US?!*

Japanese Mustard Spinach & Banana Smoothie

Baguettes with Liver Paté

Stir-Fried Liver and Chinese Chives

Spinach Omelets

Simmered Hijiki Seaweed

WHAAA...?

THAT GIRL WAS SO PALE I THOUGHT SHE LOOKED ANEMIC...

SO I WHIPPED UP SOME IRON-RICH HOME COOKING.

EH...? WHY HAST THOU THAT BAG?

OH, THIS?

I DRANK HIS BLOOD AND TURNED HIM INTO A THRALL!!

SEE?! JUST LOOK!!

WOULD MOST PRISONERS BE SO CONCERNED ABOUT THEIR ABDUCTOR'S HEALTH THAT THEY MAKE THEM A HOME-COOKED MEAL?!

THIS CROSS SHALL BE MINE TO BEAR THE REST OF MY DAYS!!

Or nights, since I'm a vampire!

AH, WELL...

NO, HE'S ALWAYS LIKE THAT.

YEAH, DAR-LING'S A REAL MOTHER HEN...

FOR REAL?

O-OH, ABOUT THESE ...!!

WHA ?!

THEN HE REALLY *IS* GOING TO TURN...?

JUST LOOK... HE HAS BITE MARKS ALL OVER HIS BODY...

HE LOOKED LIKE HE WAS ABOUT TO DIE FROM BLOOD LOSS.

WELL...

I GUESS THAT MEANS WE CAN DECLARE THIS "CASE CLOSED."

It takes **way** more than that to kill him.

Don't worry. The boss isn't gonna be a vampire.

Sniff... Really?

HUH?

SHALL WE GO BACK AND ENJOY MORE OF THE EXPO WHILE IT'S STILL OPEN?

IN *THAT* CASE, BE-LOVED...

OH...THE CHAIR... MY **MOTHER** BOUGHT IT WITHOUT CONSULTING ME...

WHOA!! **MERO, YOU UP-GRADED YOUR WHEEL-CHAIR!!**

EVERY-THING WAS SO CRAZY THAT I DIDN'T NOTICE UNTIL NOW!

Gwrar!

.....

Gwrar!

HUH?

TH-THEN HOW ABOUT WE SCURRY BACK AND BUY THEM?!

AND MYSELF FROM PURCHASING THOSE FOUR-SOMES OF SHOES...!

NO FAIR! YOU TOTALLY TALKED ME OUT OF BUYING THAT TAIL-WIPING MACHINE!

WHERE'S SUU?

MERO?

MIIA?

CENTO-REA?

?

?

PAPI?

WHERE DID EVERYONE GO?

.....?

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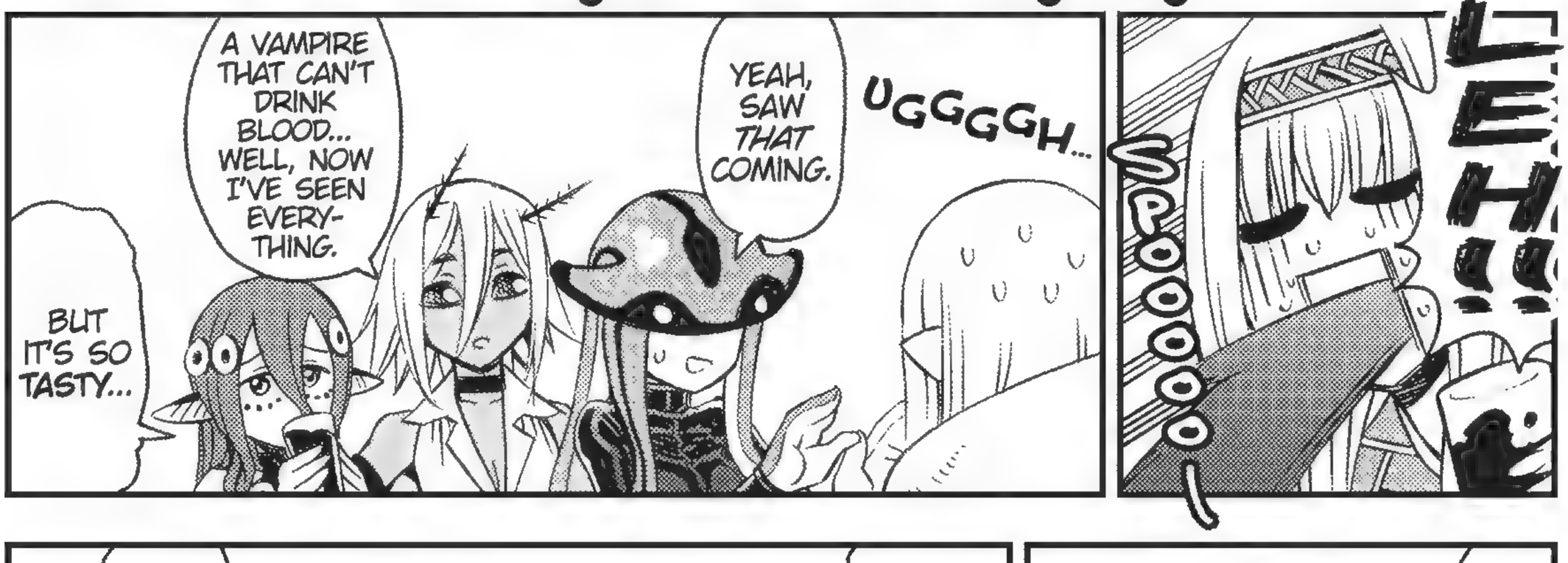
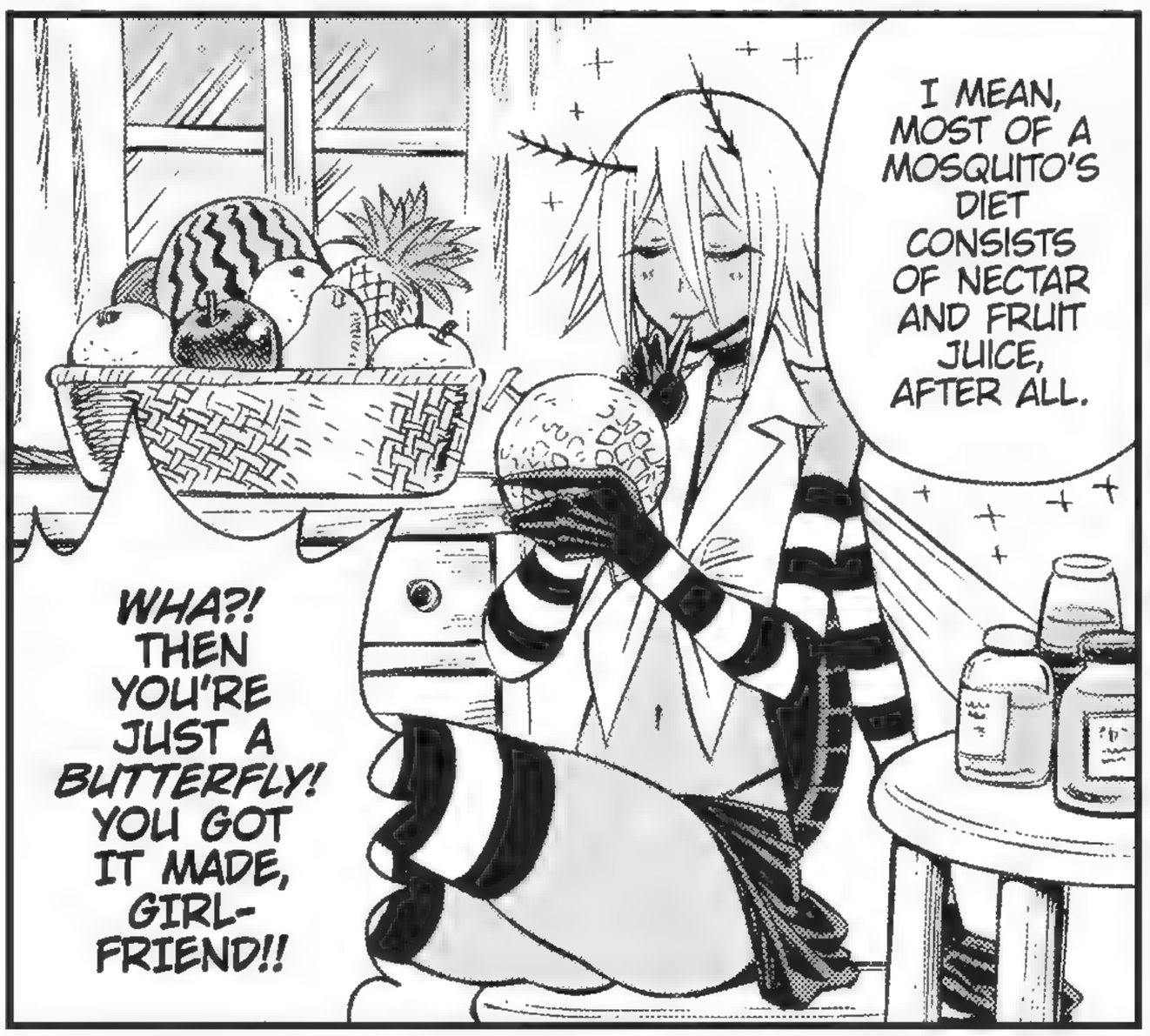
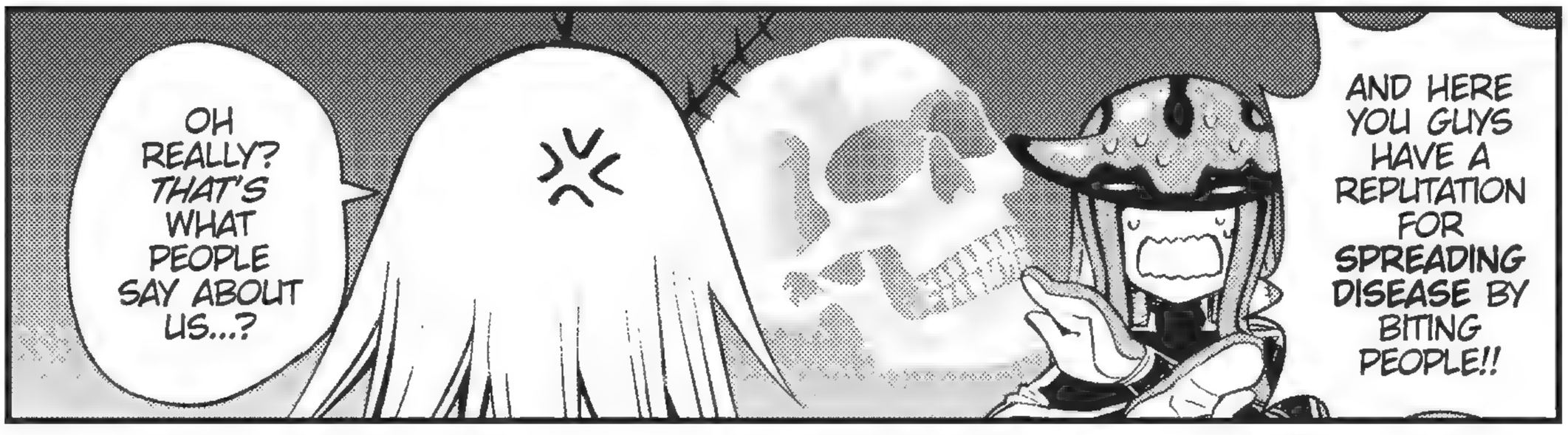
The Blood Sucking Foursome Living Together



HUH? REALLY?
I HONESTLY HAD NO IDEA THAT WAS EVEN POSSIBLE.
I just really like blood.
ERR... ACTUALLY, I CAN EAT NORMAL FOOD, TOO...
NOT BEING ABLE TO EAT ANY-THING BUT BLOOD, LIKE ALL OF US.
I'LL TELL YOU, IT SURE IS ROUGH.


I MEAN, MOST OF A MOSQUITO'S DIET CONSISTS OF NECTAR AND FRUIT JUICE, AFTER ALL.
WHA?! THEN YOU'RE JUST A BUTTERFLY! YOU GOT IT MADE, GIRL-FRIEND!!



Leeches are Annelids, Not Mollusks

creak
creak
IT FEELS LIKE STICKS... OR, WAIT... BONES... WHY WOULD THAT BE IN HER SUIT...?
HUH? WHAT'S THIS? THERE'S SOME-THING IN THE SUIT...?
WHOA~! IT'S SO SLEEK AND SEXY~!
IS THIS HER LATEX SUIT?
HM?
NAH. I'M FINE WITHOUT IT.
THEN SHOULDN'T YOU BE WEARING IT ALL THE TIME?
NO KID-DING.
splurch
splurch
OH, THAT'S BECAUSE I DON'T *HAVE* BONES.
WITH-OUT THE SKELETON IN THAT SUIT SUPPORTING ME, MY BODY HAS NO SHAPE.
OH GROSS !!!
I'VE GOTTTA REST MY BONES EVERY ONCE IN A WHILE, AFTER ALL.
wriggle
splurch
wriggle
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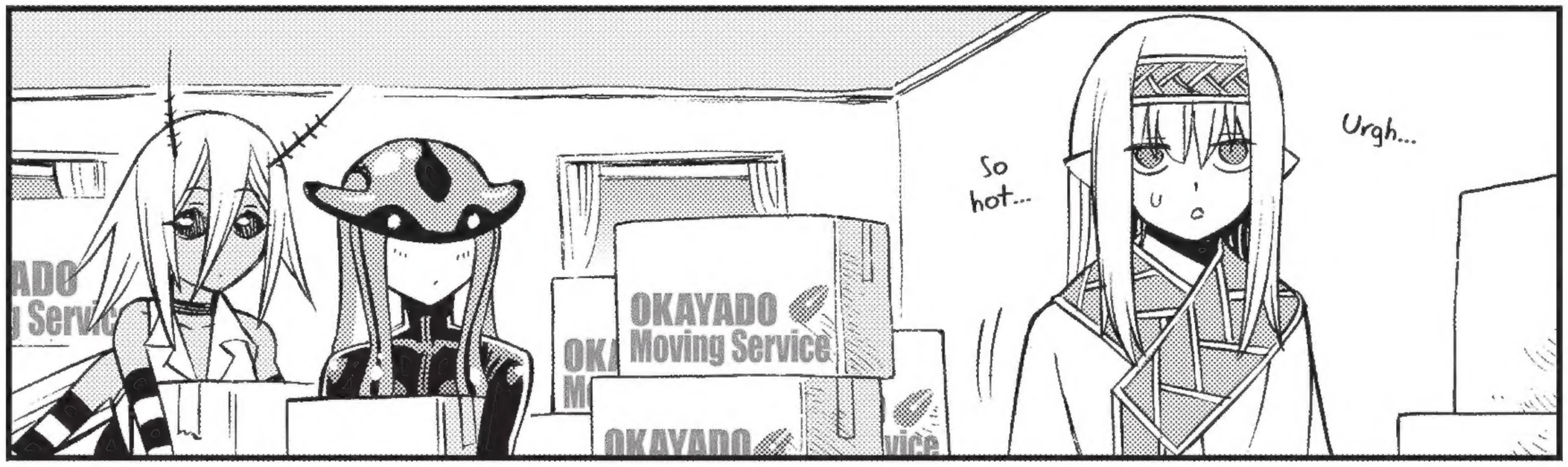
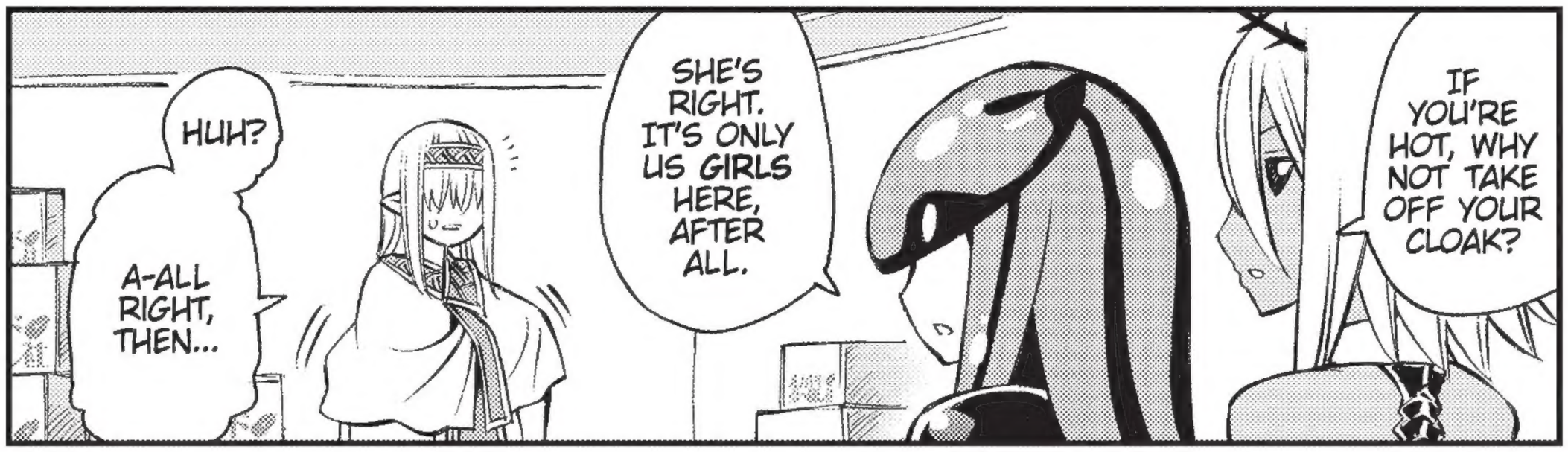
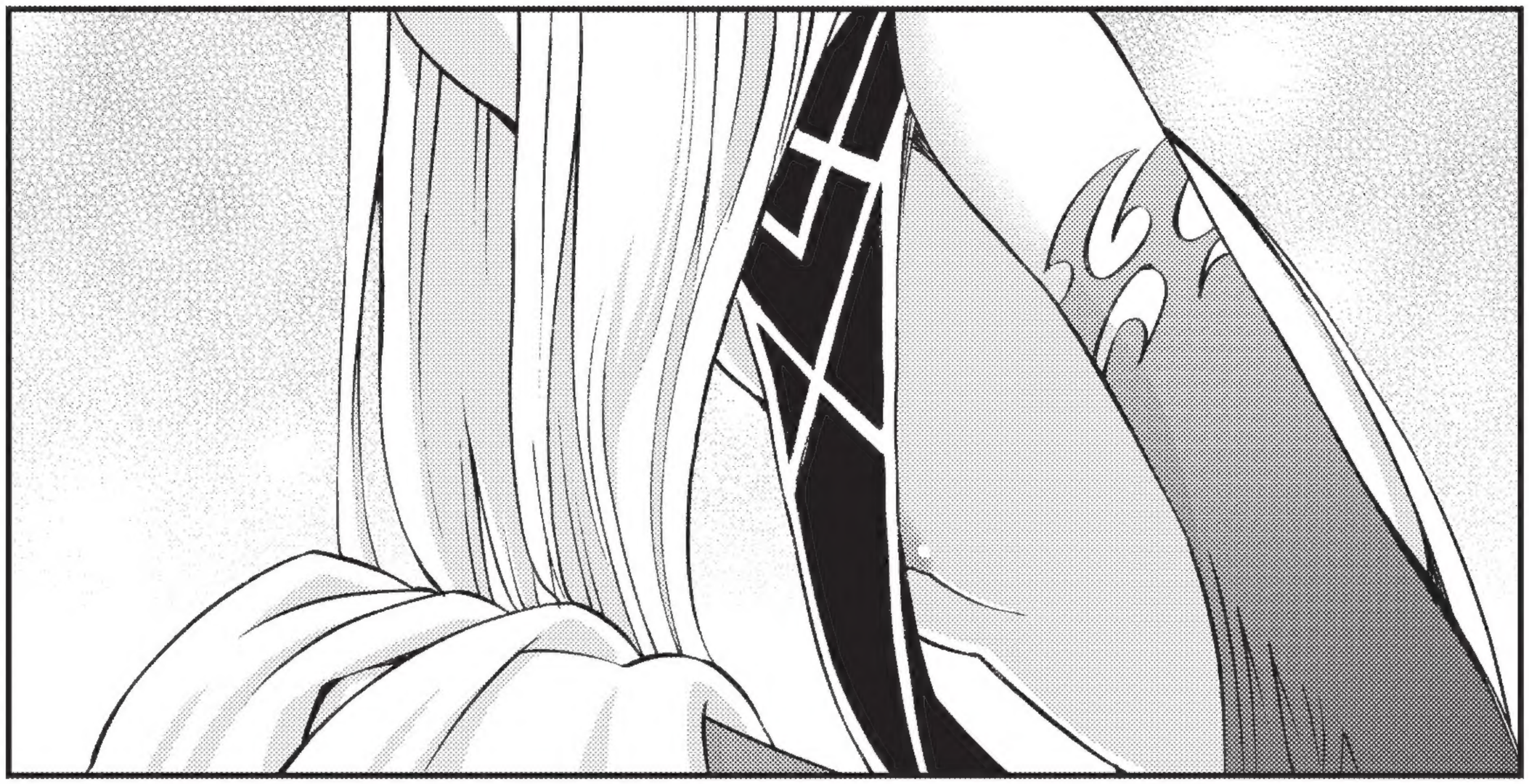
splurch
PUT THAT SUIT BACK ON BEFORE I LOSE *SANITY POINTS!!*

Structural Defects







Secrets of Curie the Vampire

HEIGHT: 162CM
WEIGHT: 38KG
3 SIZES 72-52-76
A CUP

VAMPIRE EARS
VAMPIRES HAVE DEVELOPED AN EXTREMELY KEEN SENSE OF HEARING TO COMPENSATE FOR THEIR POOR EYESIGHT. THEY ARE CAPABLE OF DETECTING EVEN ULTRASONIC WAVES. HOWEVER, BECAUSE THEIR SENSE OF HEARING IS SO SHARP, THEY CAN'T STAND LOUD NOISES. AT NIGHT, THEY USE ULTRASONIC WAVES AND THEIR SENSE OF HEARING TO FLY. FOR DETAILS, SEE THE FOLLOWING SECTION.

VAMPIRE EYES
YOU MIGHT THINK THAT THEIR EYES EVOLVED TO HAVE EXCELLENT NIGHT VISION, BUT IN FACT THEIR EYESIGHT IS VERY POOR. AS SUCH, THEY CAN'T SEE WELL REGARDLESS OF TIME OF DAY.

VAMPIRE ULTRASONIC WAVES
VAMPIRES ARE ABLE TO PRODUCE ULTRASONIC WAVES FROM THEIR MOUTHS. BY USING ECHOLOCATION, OR DETECTING REFLECTIONS FROM THESE WAVES WITH THEIR KEEN HEARING, THEY CAN AVOID OBSTACLES WITH HIGH PRECISION DURING FLIGHT, EVEN WITH THEIR EYES CLOSED.

VAMPIRE VIRUS
A VIRUS THAT TRANSFORMS A BITE VICTIM INTO A VAMPIRE. THE VIRUS IS SECRETED IN THEIR SALIVA. HOWEVER TRANSMISSION IS NOT LIMITED TO BITING--DIRECT CONTACT WITH MUCOUS MEMBRANES IS ALSO DANGEROUS. THE DANGER LEVEL IS HIGH ENOUGH THAT VAMPIRES WERE DESIGNATED AS A DANGEROUS SPECIES (EVEN THOUGH THE ACTUAL CHANCES OF INFECTION ARE EXTREMELY SLIM).

BEING TURNED INTO A VAMPIRE WILL NOT CAUSE A BITE VICTIM TO SPROUT WINGS OR FANGS, BUT SIMPLY TO BECOME A VECTOR FOR THE VIRUS. FROM THIS PERSPECTIVE, TODAY'S VAMPIRES MAY HAVE ORIGINALLY BEEN BAT-LIMINALS THAT GOT INFECTED BY TRUE VAMPIRES (WHICH NO LONGER EXIST). HOWEVER, THERE IS NO SUBSTANTIATING PROOF FOR THIS THEORY.AY.

VAMPIRE WINGS
UNLIKE BIRD WINGS, VAMPIRE WINGS CONSIST OF A THIN MEMBRANE. THIS MEMBRANE EXTENDS FROM THEIR INDEX FINGERS TO THEIR WAIST, GIVING THEM A GREATER WING AREA THAN HARPIES. AS A RESULT, VAMPIRES ARE MORE SKILLED AT GLIDING THAN HARPIES, BUT SINCE FLAPPING THEIR WINGS INCREASES THE BURDEN ON THEM, THEIR ACTUAL FLIGHT ABILITY IS SLIGHTLY INFERIOR.

VAMPIRE WEAR
SINCE THE FLYING MEMBRANE EXTENDS TO THEIR WAIST, IT IS IMPOSSIBLE FOR VAMPIRES TO WEAR NORMAL CLOTHING. THEY MUST WEAR SPECIAL CUSTOM-MADE CLOTHING TO ACCOMMODATE THEIR WINGS. THE GAP IN THEIR CLOTHING THROUGH WHICH THE MEMBRANE EMERGES IS A POINT OF EMBARRASSMENT FOR VAMPIRES.

VAMPIRE BODY
AS PART OF A SPECIALIZED SKELETON DESIGNED FOR FLIGHT, THEIR EXTREMELY LONG ARMS (CALLED WING-HANDS) ARE A CHARACTERISTIC FEATURE OF VAMPIRES. THEIR PHYSIQUE IS ALSO SLENDER FOR FLYING, BUT DUE TO THE FACT THEY SUBSIST OFF OF BLOOD, THEY CAN ALSO SUFFER FROM LACK OF NUTRIENTS.

VAMPIRE BONES
VAMPIRE SKELETONS ARE THIN AND HARD. THIS IS ALSO A RESULT OF WEIGHT-SAVING FOR FLIGHT, BUT THEIR BONES ARE SLIGHTLY LESS STURDY THAN THE LIGHTWEIGHT HOLLOW BONES OF HARPIES AND OTHER BIRD LIMINALS.

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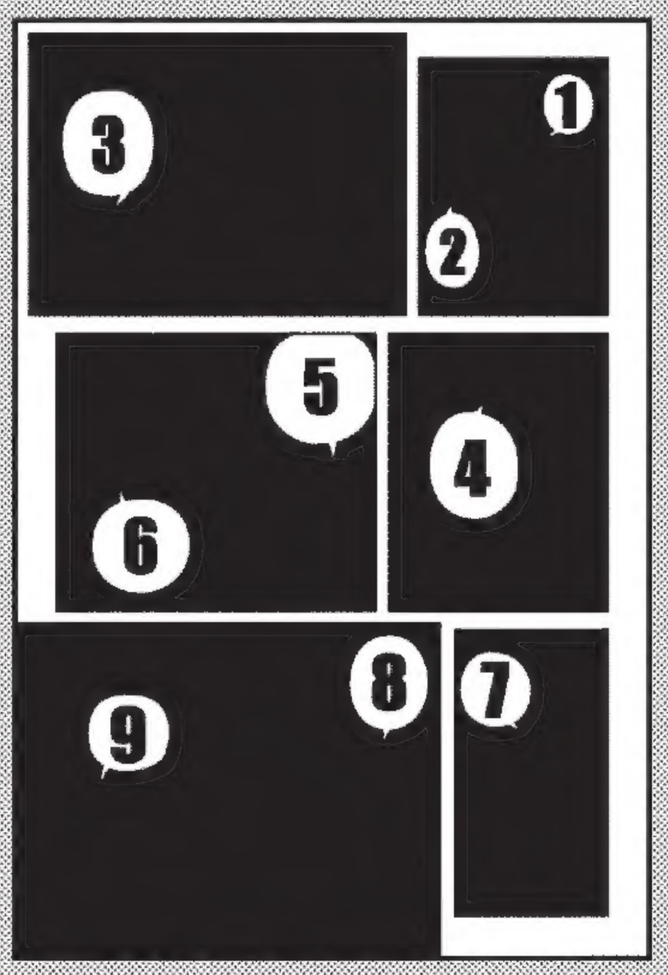

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